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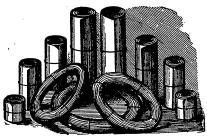
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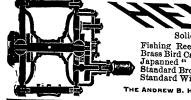
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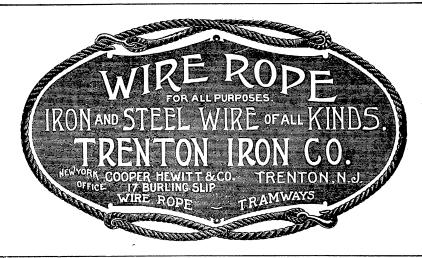
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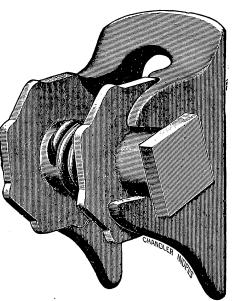
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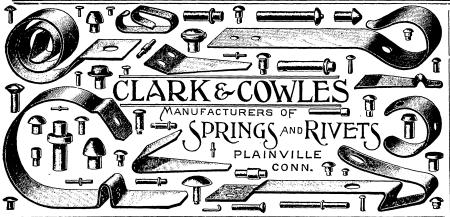
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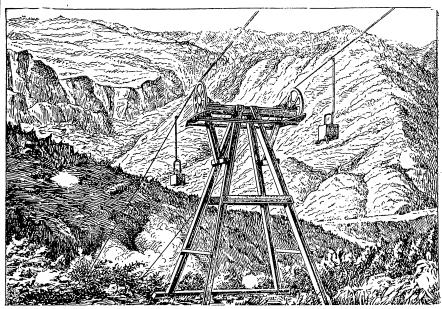
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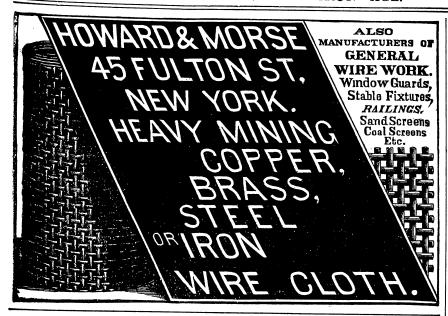
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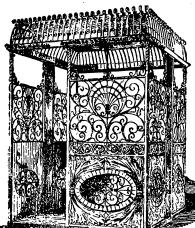
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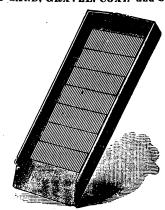
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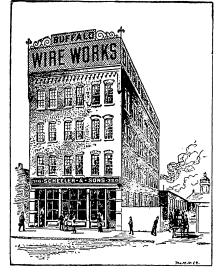
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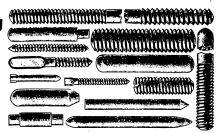
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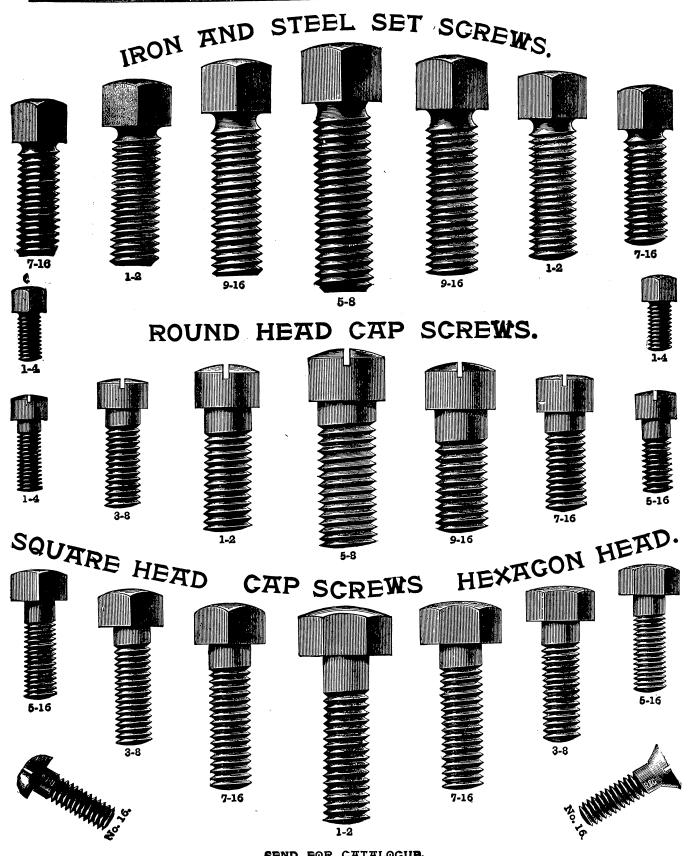
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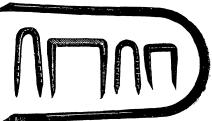
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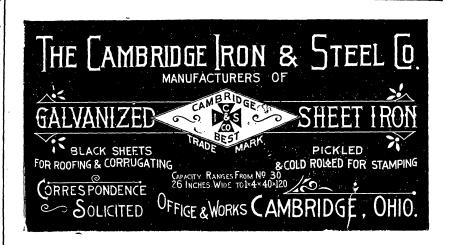
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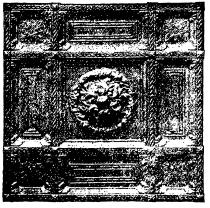


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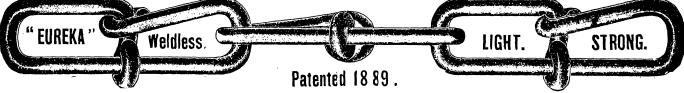
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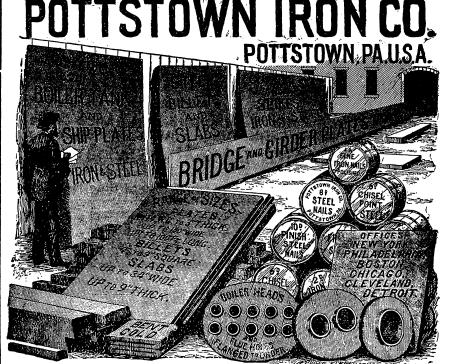
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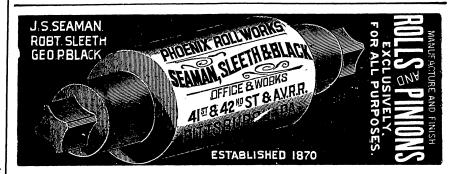
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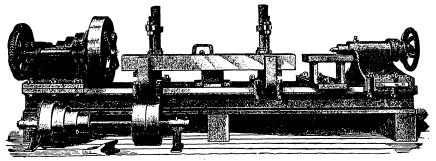
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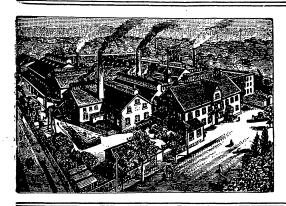


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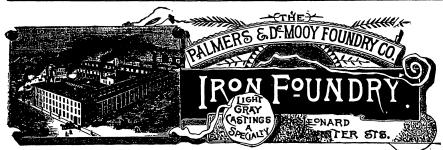
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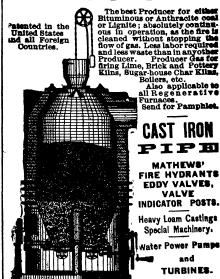
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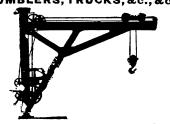


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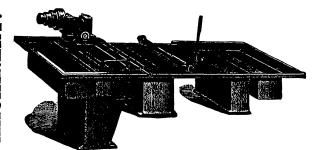
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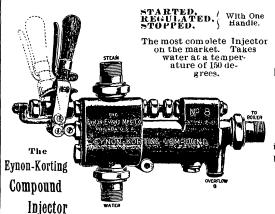
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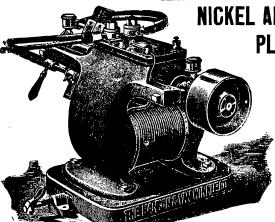
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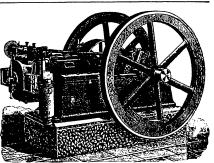
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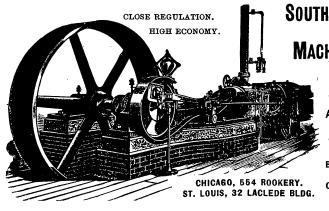
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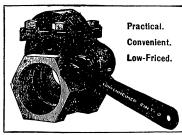
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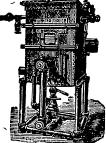
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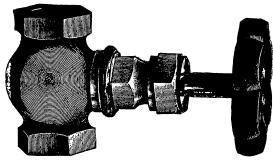
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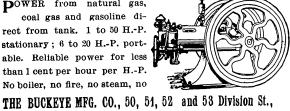
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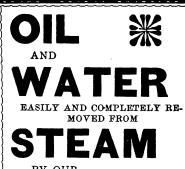
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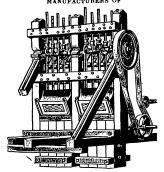
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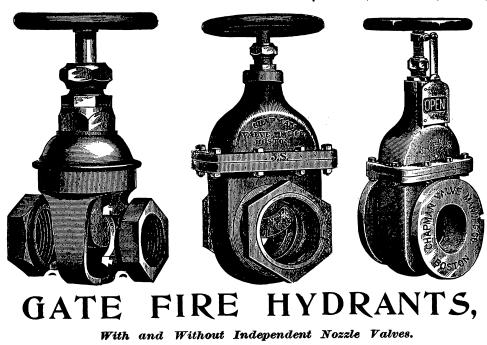
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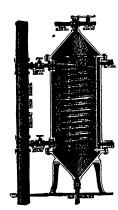
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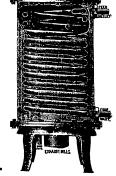
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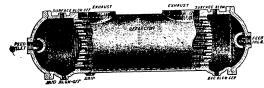
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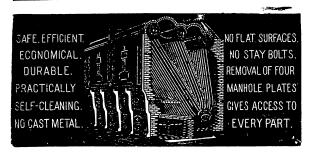
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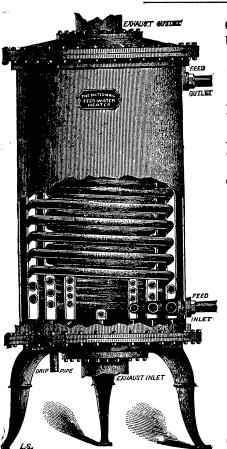
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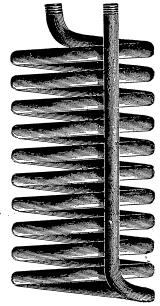
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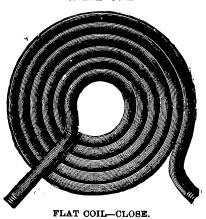
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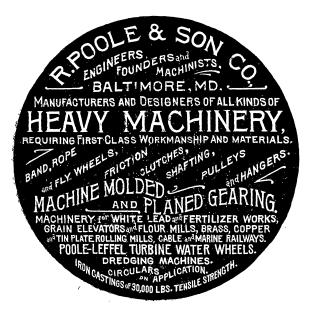
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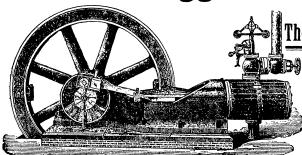
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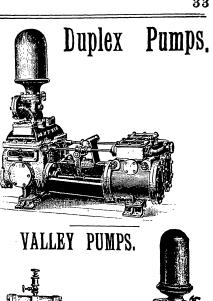
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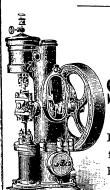


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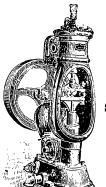
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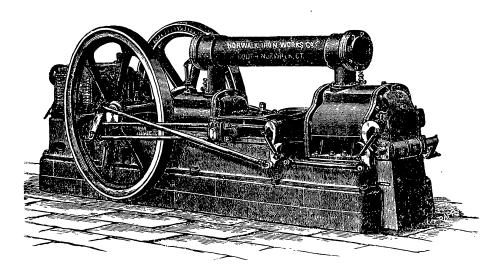
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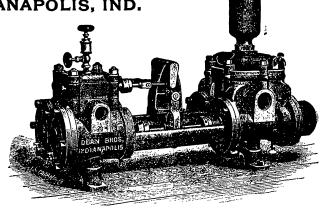
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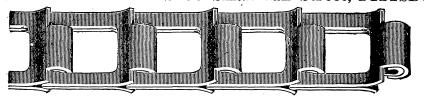
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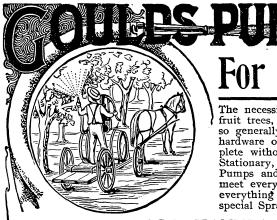
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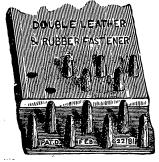
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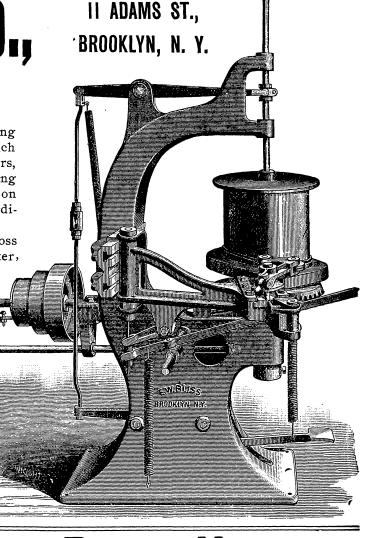
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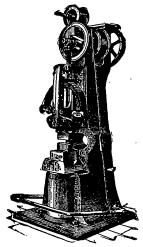
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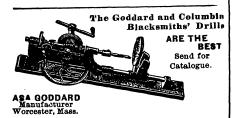


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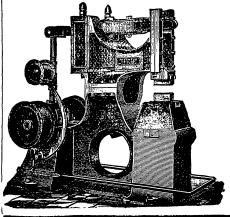
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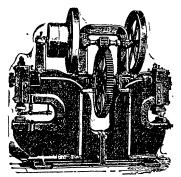
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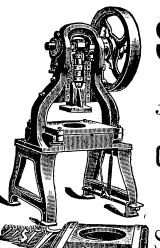
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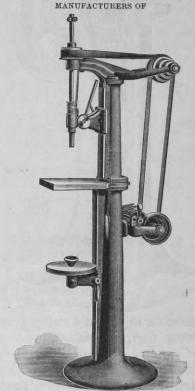
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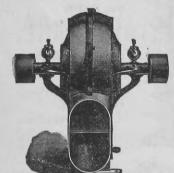
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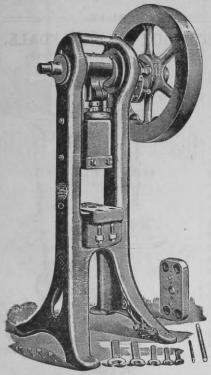
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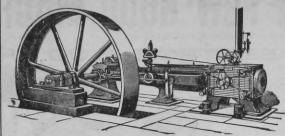
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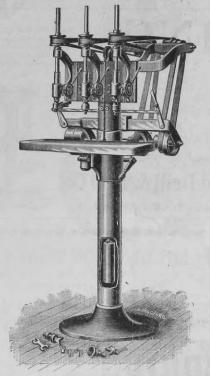
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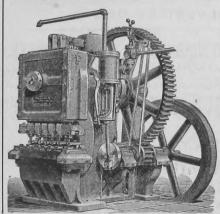
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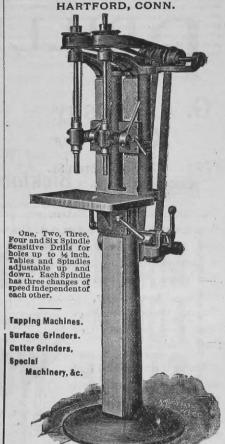
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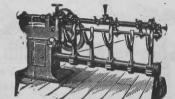
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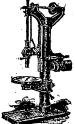
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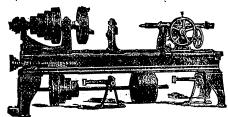
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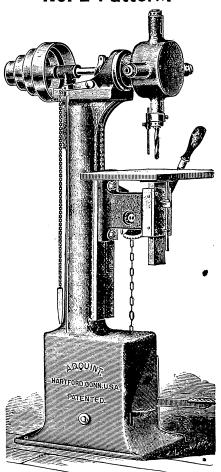
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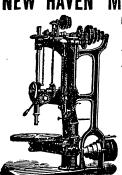


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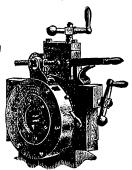
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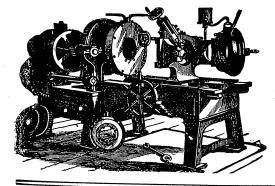
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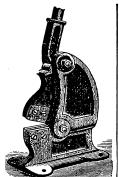
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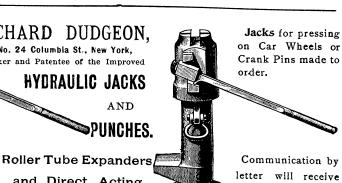
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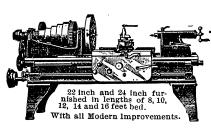


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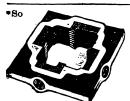
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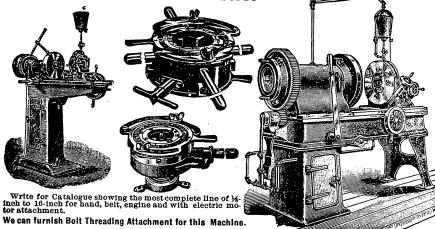
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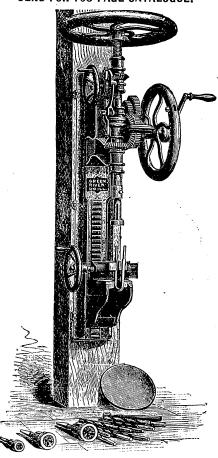
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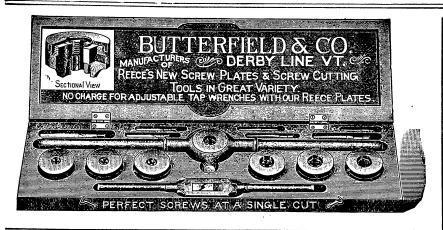
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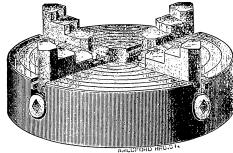
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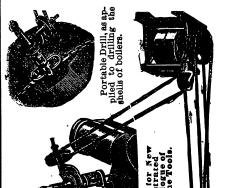
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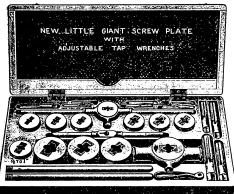
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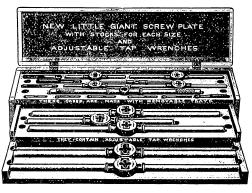
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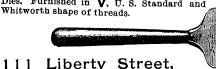
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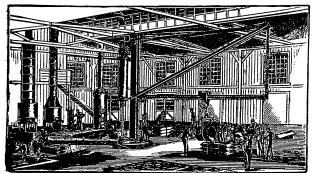
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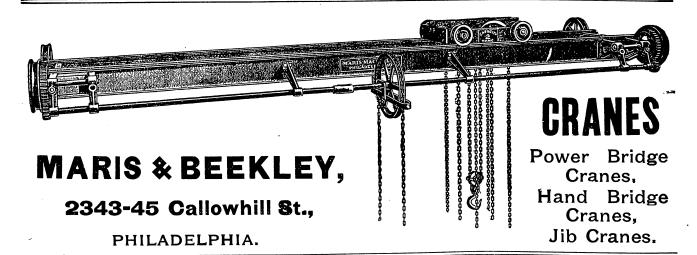


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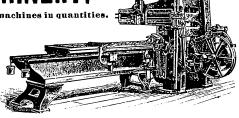
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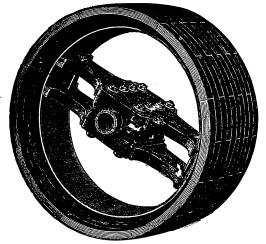
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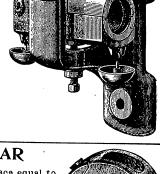
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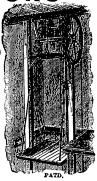


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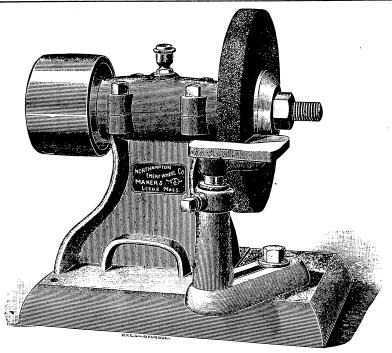
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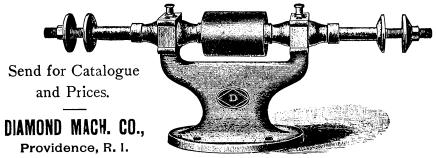


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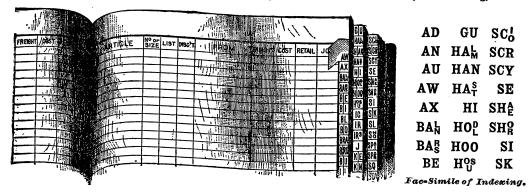
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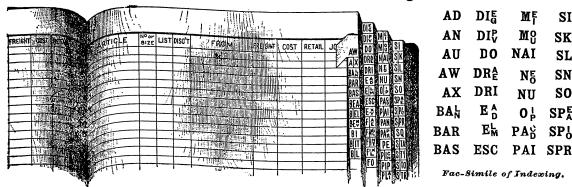
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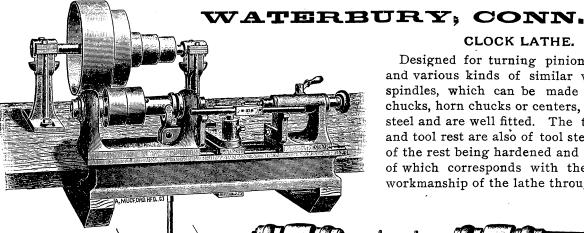
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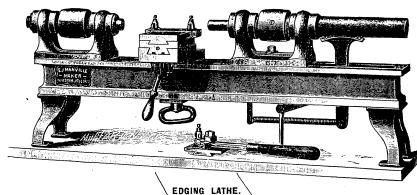
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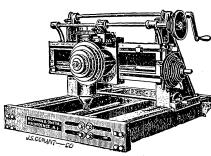
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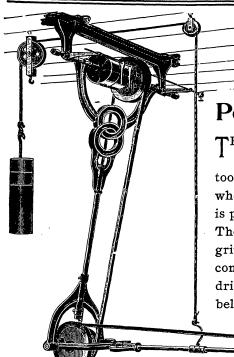
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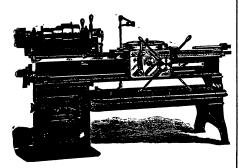
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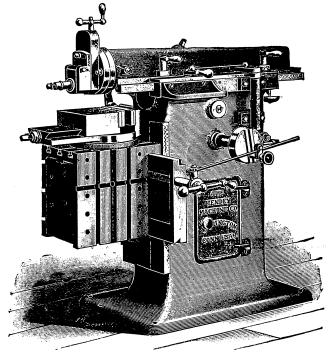
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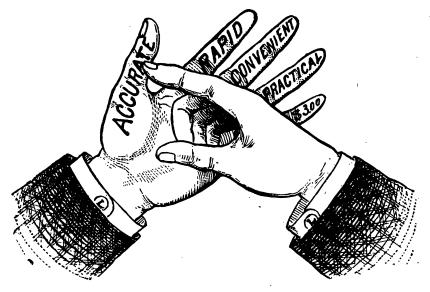
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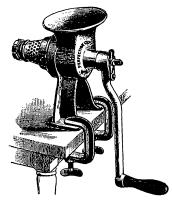
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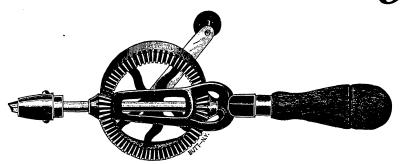
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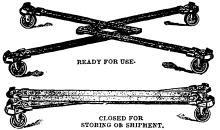
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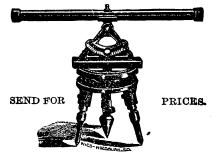
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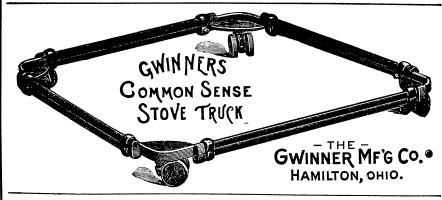


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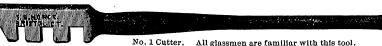
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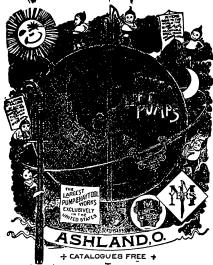
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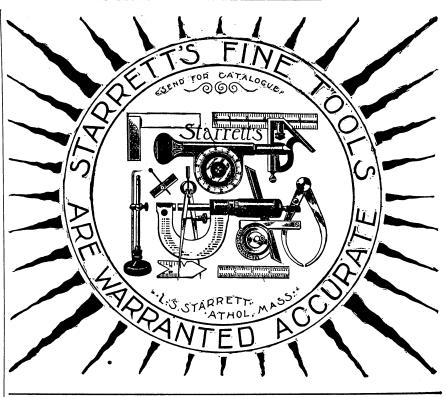
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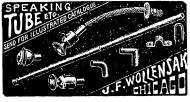
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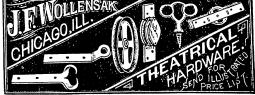
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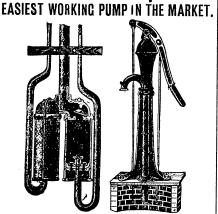
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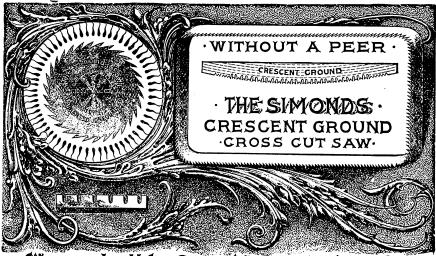
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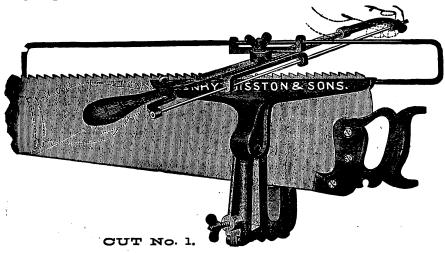
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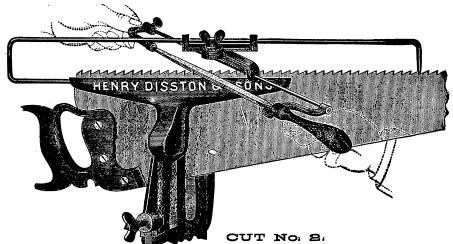
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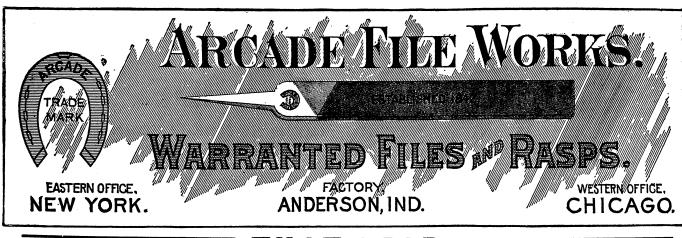
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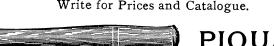
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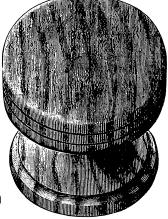
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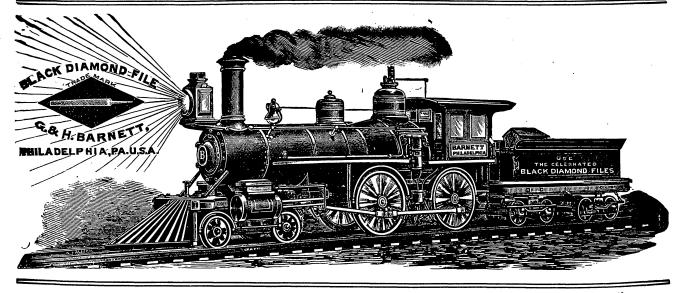


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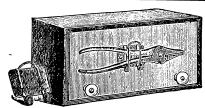
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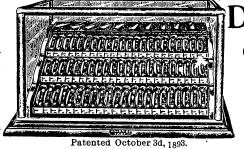
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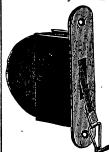
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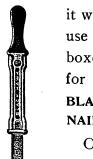
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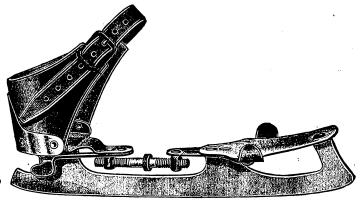
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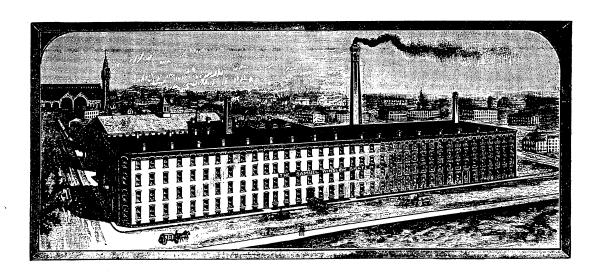


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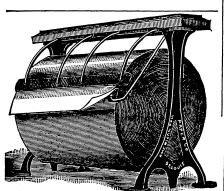
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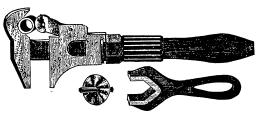
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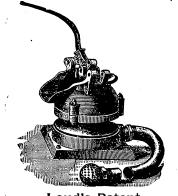


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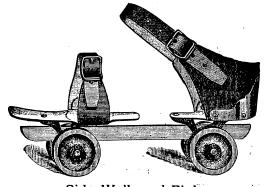
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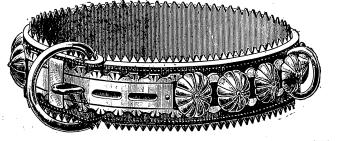
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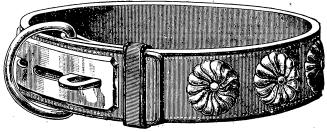


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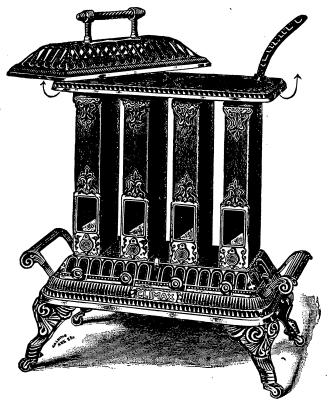
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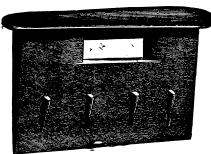
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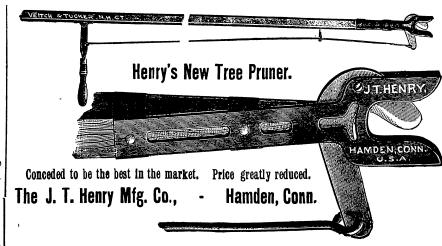


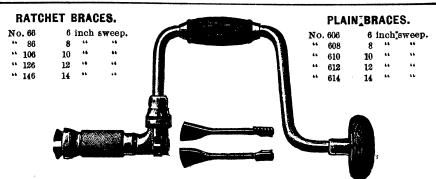
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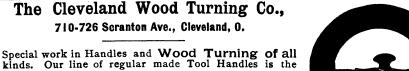
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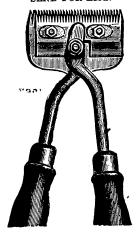
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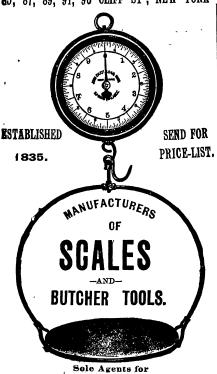
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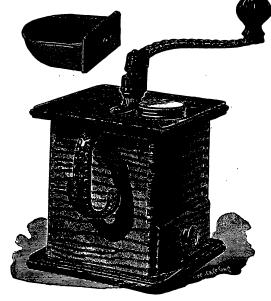
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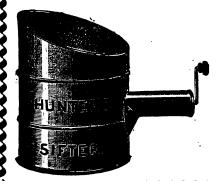
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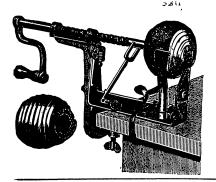
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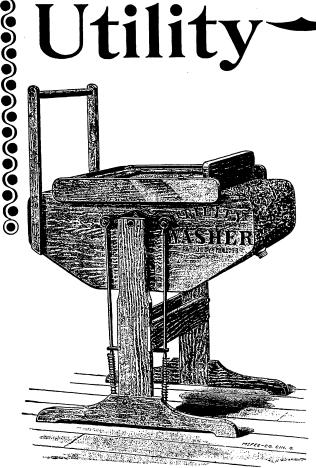
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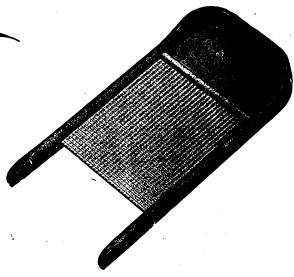
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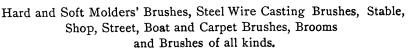
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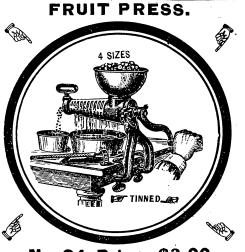


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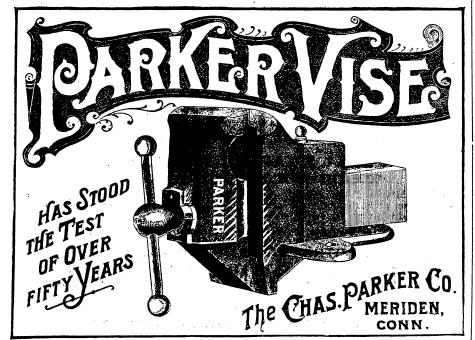
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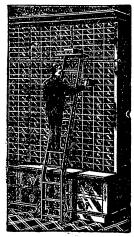
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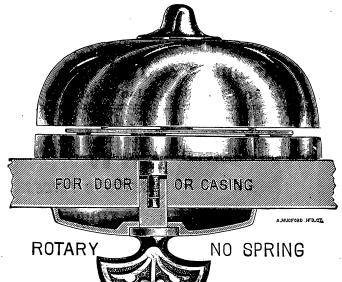
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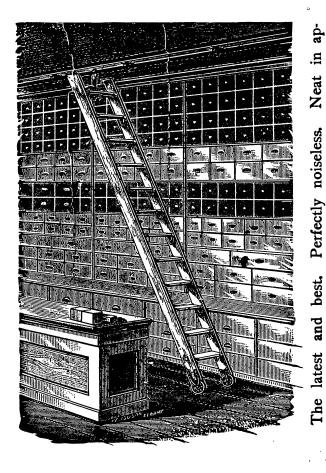
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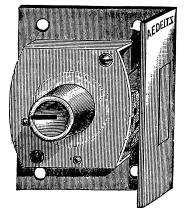
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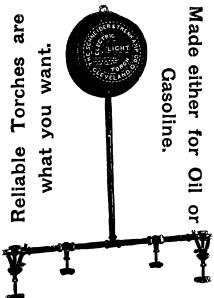


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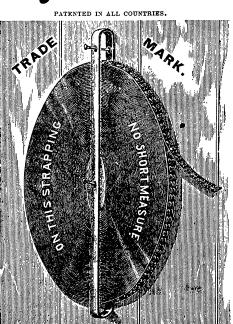
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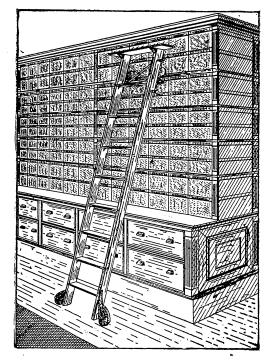
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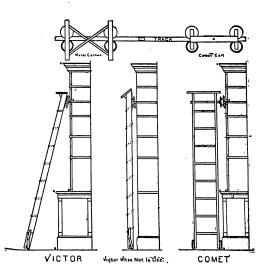
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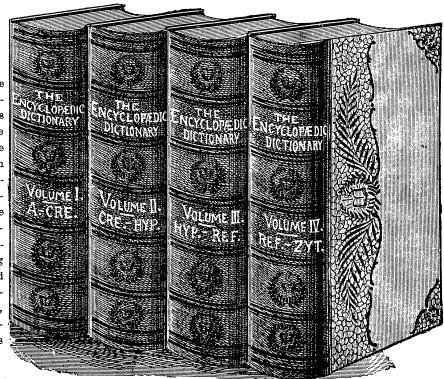
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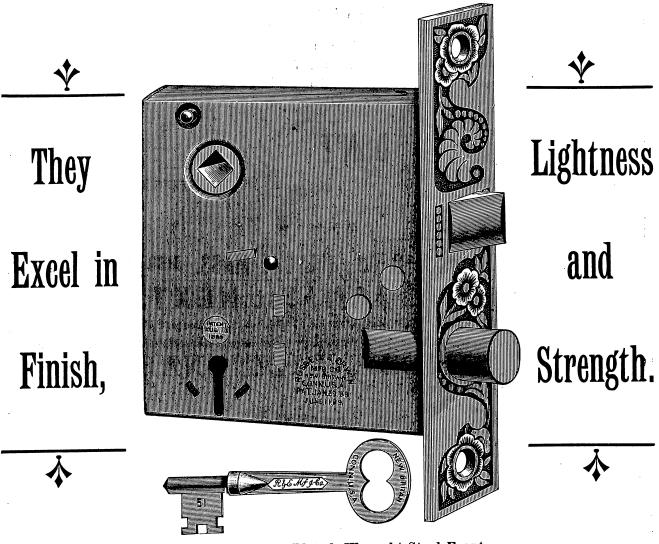
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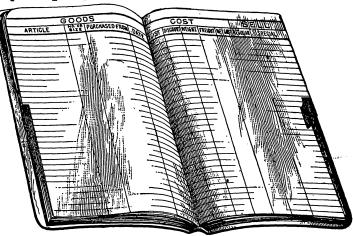
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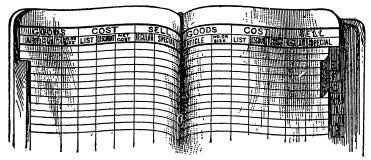
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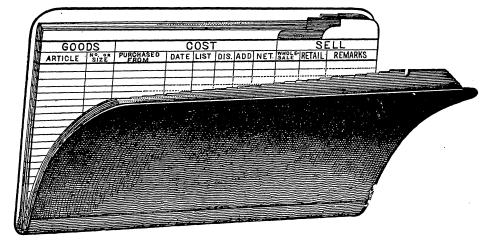


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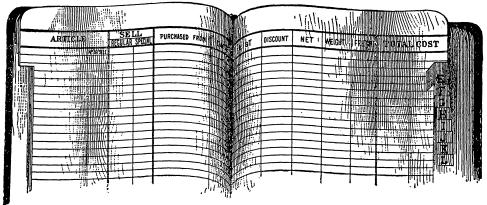
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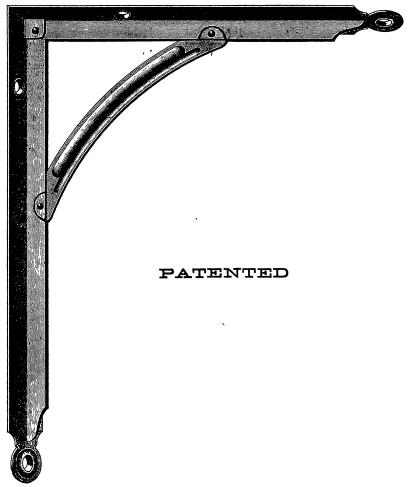
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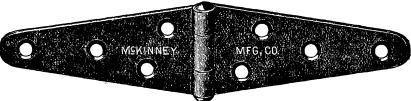
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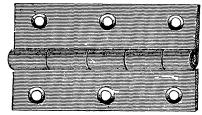
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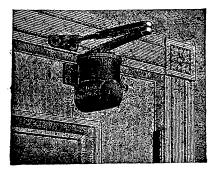
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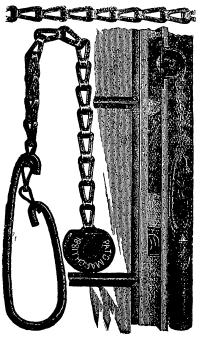
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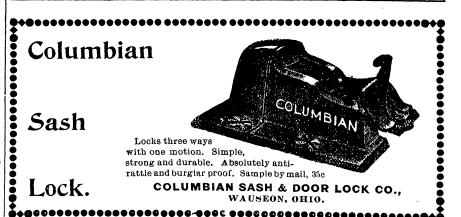


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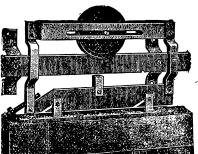
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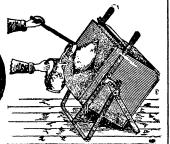
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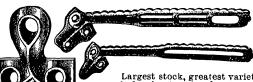
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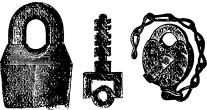
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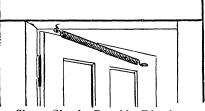
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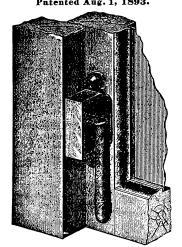


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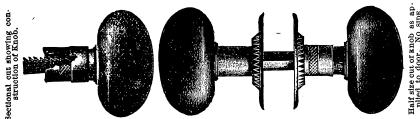
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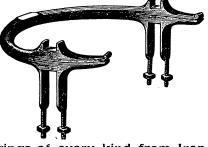
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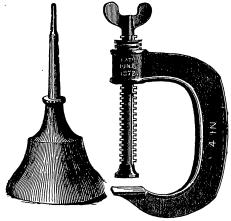
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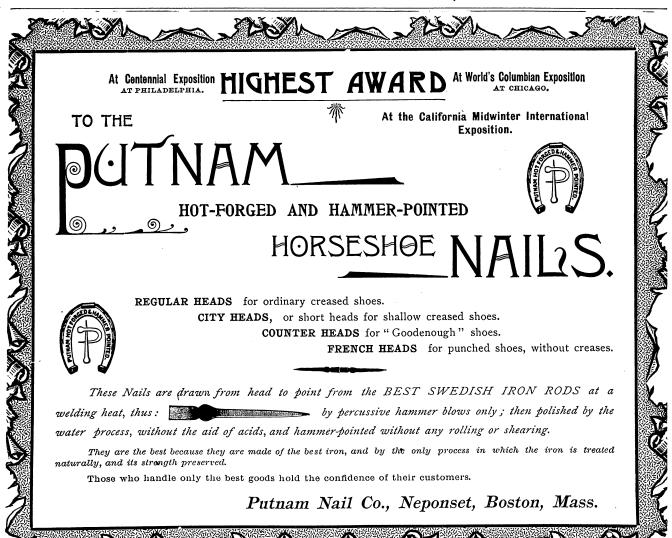
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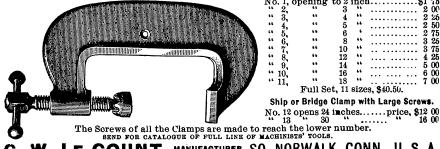
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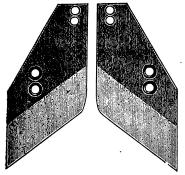
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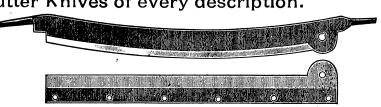
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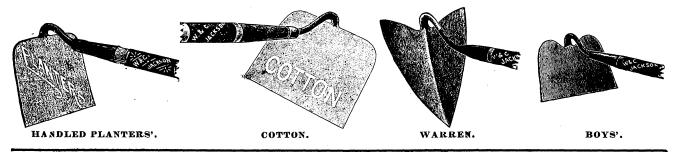
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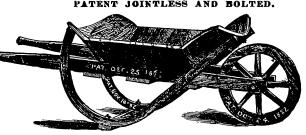
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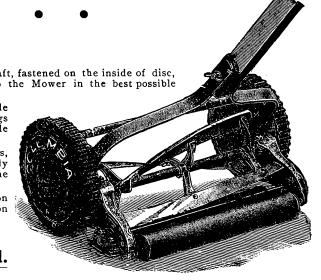
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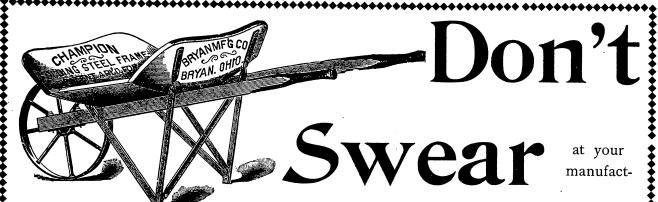
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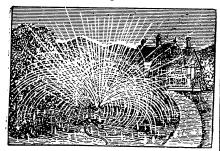
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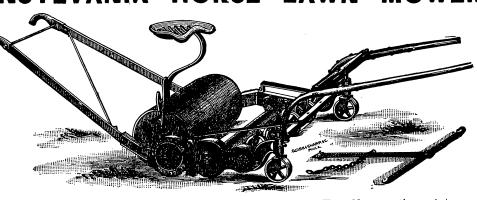
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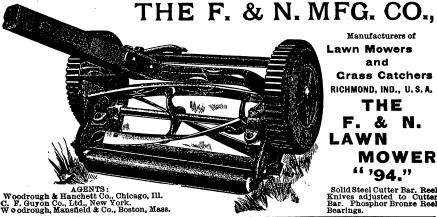
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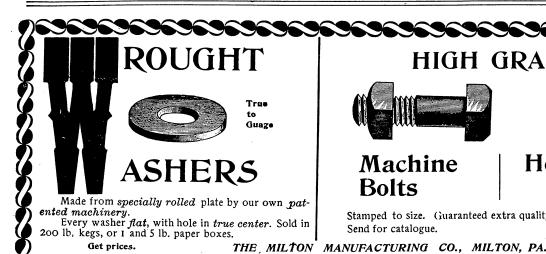


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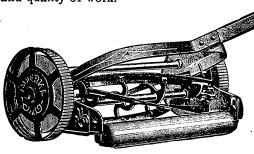
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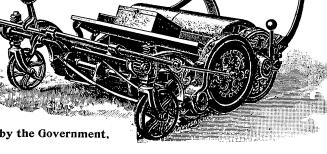
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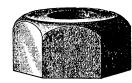
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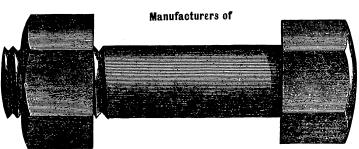
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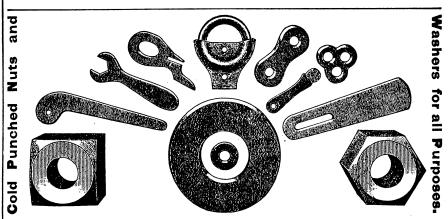
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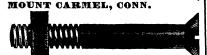
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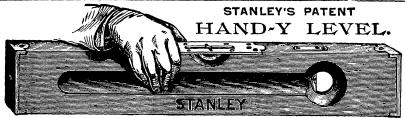
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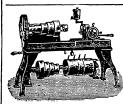
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Coking with Recovery of By-Products

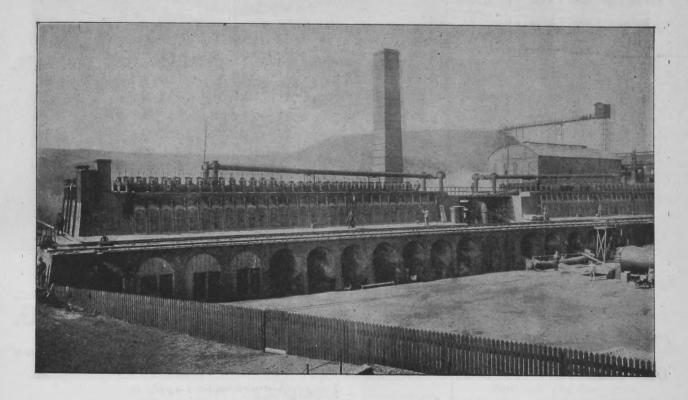
During the past year a number of the most progressive metallurgists and engineers of the United States have become keenly interested in the phenomenal work, from a business point of view, done in Germany in the recovery of by-products in coke manufacture. Some of the leading iron and steel concerns have been led to investigate it through men connected with their establishments. Earnest work has been done, and the matter has now progressed

upon practically the whole of the country. If coal does not coke in the ante-diluvian beehive oven, it is unfit for coking. Unless the coke has the particular characteristics of the Connells-ville product it is bad practice to charge it into the blast furnace. But even though it be true that Connells-ville coke is the beau ideal of furnace fuel, it does not by any means follow that coke not possessing its special features is not technically a good fuel, and may not in many localities be commercially a much better article.

American coke makers and blast furnacemen have been strangely conservative in this matter, and have failed to Pittsburgh during a visit to the Continent two years since. This spring Mr. Wilcox spent nearly two months in a special investigation, and collected a mass of material which exceptional facilities made particularly valuable. We are indebted to him for many additional data which we are in a position to place before the American iron trade.

The Retort Coking Ovens.

All the different systems producing coke by the so-called retort, or Belgian ovens, make use of rectangular fire brick chambers, varying in length from 25 to 35 feet; in width from 14 to 22



THE OTTO-HOFFMAN COKE OVEN PLANT AT RECKLINGHAUSEN II. COLLIERY.

to the point that arrangements for the erection of plants have been completed, and that soon the new industry will be planted on American soil. We have before expressed the opinion, which a closer investigation has strengthened, that there is no direction in which so promising an opportunity exists to secure a marked lowering in the cost of production of iron and steel in this country, and that those who are pioneers in it will resp the rewards which the introduction of economies entitle them to.

American coke manufacturers have been under the spell of the Connells-ville region. It is the standard fuel of our blast furnaces. The region has had the advantage above all of cheap mining, proximity to great markets, and of a quality of coal which yielded by the crudest methods a product of excellent character. Its pro-eminence has been such that it has imposed its practice

appreciate what is being done abroad. If it is true, as some assert who have the credit of being very careful and far sighted students of our from industry, that before another decade has passed we shall be competitors of European makers in the world's markets, then we must now prepare for the contest by introducing every economy.

test by introducing every economy.

We have naturally been driven to labor saving appliances until we are in advance of all others in that direction. But we have undoubtedly been very wasteful of fuel, and with our enormous coal resources have entirely neglected those of medium quality. We believe that when once introduced and thoroughly understood, the closed ovens will make it possible to produce satisfactory coke from fuels very much nearer to some of our producing centers.

The importance of the subject impressed itself upon John F. Wilcox of

inches, and in hight from 4 feet 6 inches to 5 feet 8 inches. The coal is in all cases charged into the oven through two or more circular openings. The general difference in the several systems is in the arrangement of the flues for the combustion of gases which are used in heating the retorts, and in the regulation of the adm ssion of air for the proper combustion of gases. A number of different ovens are in use, among them being the Otto-Hoffman, which is arranged for the recovery of by-products; the Otto Coppee, without condensation apparatus; the Semet-Solvay, the Carves Seibel, Carves-Simon, Carves Huessener and Bernard. Some statistics may be presented to show how extensive has been the introduction of the different systems. Dr. C. Otto & Co. of Dahlhausen a. d. Ruhr, Germany, who control the Otto-Coppee, without recovery of by-products, and the Otto-Hoffman, with re-

covery, have built the following plants up to the middle of this year:

W	Otto-Hoffman (with	Otto-Coppee (without	
Year.	recovery).	recovery).	
1876		60	
1878		216	
1879		166	
1880		340	
1881	10	262	
1882		674	
1883		642	
1884		346	
1885		220	
1886		- 320	
1887	120	370	
1888	80	552	
1889		460	
1890		484	
1891		230	
1892		401	
1893	27	396	
1894 to July I.	292	180	
Total	1,759	6,309	
Special types.	96		

Of these there are 776 Otto-Hoffman and 5911 Otto-Coppee ovens in the

There are a number of modifications of the Carves oven, which are dis-tinguished, coupling with that name the engineer who designed the modification. The Journal de VEclairage au Gaz of

July 5, 1893, publishes the following figures concerning the Carves Seibel ovens in France:

	Ovens
Tamaris (Gard)	35
Besseges (Gard)	
Terrenoire (Loire)	50
Cransac (Aveyron)	25
Total	160

Detailed statistics are not available concerning the Simon-Carves oven. is claimed, however, that there are about 400 ovens in operation.

Of the Carves Huessener ovens there are 100 in operation at Bulmke, near Gelsenkirchen, Westphalia.

There figures clearly show how over-

near as possible to the regenerator without actually infringing on the Ottopatent.

If it is desired to erect ovens without the saving of the by-products, the Otto-Coppee ovens are recommended. They are simple of construction and durable. They are carefully worked up as to details and their system for the combustion of gases and the mixture of air is a fine Mr. Wilcox reports that he has seen these ovens work on all kinds of coal and giving satisfaction, and has been informed by all the blast furnace managers at the furnaces visited that after years of constant work the repairs have been nominal, and that after careful consideration of the different systems they adopted that of Otto & Co. as being the best, and have had no reason to a year their decision. The reason to regret their decision. Otto oven has shown great durability,

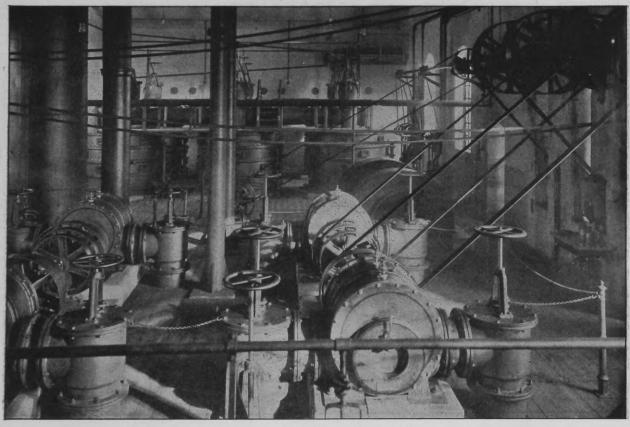


Fig. 2.-Interior of By-Product Plant

THE OTTO-HOFFMAN COKE OVEN PLANT AT RECKLINGHAUSEN II. COLLIERY.

Ruhr coal basin, 124 of the former and 8 of the latter in the Saar district, 670 Otto Hoffman ovens in the Upper Silesia, 45 Otto-Hoffman and 30 Otto-Coppee ovens in the lower Silesia district, 178 Otto Coppee in the Worm district, near Aix-la-Chapelle, and 240 Otto-Hoffman and 182 Otto-Coppee ovens in other sections.

Concerning the Semet-Solvay oven, the following figures have been given by F. W. Luermann in Stahl und Eisen July, 1894:

	Ovens in operation.	Ovens under construc- tion.	Total.
Belgium France England Germany United States	227 50 30 48 12	100 25 	327 50 55 48 12
Totals	367	125	492

whelmingly in favor of the Otto system European practice has pronounced.

After thorough investigation Mr. Wilcox has reached the conclusion that it is an undeniable fact that the Otto Company obtain by far the best results, all things being equal. The principal ob-jection raised by representatives of the other system is that the Otto plants are expensive. The chief difference of cost is in the condensation plant; but ex-perience has shown that this is amply repaid by the larger output of by-prod-ucts. All the Otto machinery, down to the smallest pump, is in duplicate—hence there is no less from stoppages or repairs. In the Otto system the slight pressure in the flues prevents the loss of by products and the regenerators add greatly to the ease with which these ovens are controlled and the temperature regulated, to say nothing of making available a much larger percentage of fuel gas. In spite of all said to the contrary, the other systems approach as

in one case a battery having run for 13. years with only nominal repairs. At all the plants visited the results were the same, the ovens having been in operation for periods of from 31 to 13 years, and have required but nominal repairs. When one considers the life of the average beehive oven, this fact becomes more noticeable. One cannot but beimpressed with the splendid condition of the German plants after many yearsof operation as compared to our American beehive ovens. It is generally admitted that there is but little difference so far as the cost of ovens is concerned. The figures obtained of the Bernard ovens in Belgium were \$590, complete; for the Otto Coppee in Germany, \$629. As labor and material are very much cheaper in Belgium than Germany, reducing both these ovens to German prices would make the cost practically the same. It has been urged against the retort ovens that they are very expensive, but when one takes into con-

sideration the large increase in output from the Belgium ovens this objection will not hold good. Putting aside the cost of the condensation plant, experience showed that 60 Octo-Coppee ovens would produce as much coke as would 140 beeking overs. 140 beehive ovens. These figures are based on the average weekly output from the beehive ovens in the Connells-ville field, which is given as 8½ net tons

Drawings of the Otto-Hoffman oven have been so frequently published that we need not again present them. We are indebted to Mr. Wilcox, however, for an opportunity to reproduce a few of a series of photographs taken by him as showing a typical Otto-Hoffman plant, that at Recklinghausen, Westphalia. Fig. 1 shows a battery of ovens, while Figs. 2 and 3 show interiors of the recent plant. riors of the recovery plant.

1.8 per cent. Quality of coke, good. Sample sent to America.

No. 4 Test.—Oven charged with 13,-No. 4 Test.—Oven charged with 13,-750 pounds coal (crushed), or 6.9 net tons. To this coal water was added (15 per cent.) at the suggestion of the coke master, who claimed that if the coal were crushed and wet the coke would be denser. The oven was also run hotter, owing to a mistake on the part of the night superintendent. The oven was around in 32 hours and was allowed to stand 40 hours. This plan oven was around in 32 hours and was allowed to stand 40 hours. This plan was found to be a mistake, because, owing to the higher temperature, fine coal and water, the escaping gas and steam made a larger percentage of spongy coke in the upper part of the oven. The lower part was of excellent quality, being denser and longer than quality, being denser and longer than the coke in test No. 3. Total coke produced, 73 6 per cent. Good coke, fully coked in a retort oven. The coke differs from the beehive coke in appearance when first drawn, in so far that it is more in planes and not so long in structure. This is due to the retort oven being narrower and the coking taking place from the bottom and sides, and not from the top downwards, as in the beehive ovens. The coke made was excellent. It was equal in quality to the Connellsville coke. was not so silvery in luster as the Connellsville coke, but this cannot be expected so long as the coke is watered outside the oven. The German blast furnace engineers are doing most excel-lent work so far as fuel economy is concerned on lean ore mixtures. At none of the furnaces is any attention paid to the appearance of the coke. All that is required is that it do the work necessary in the furnace. Whether

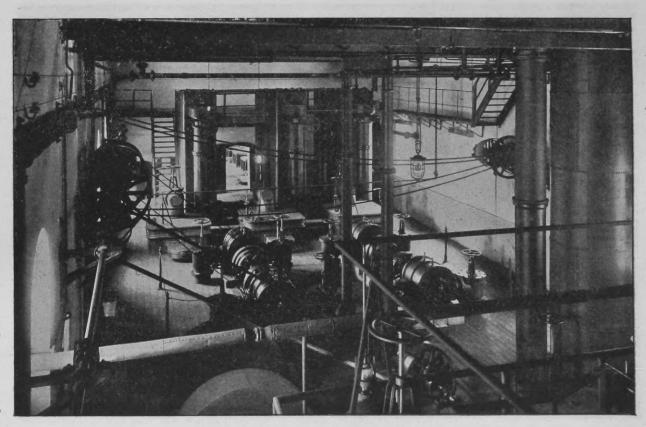


Fig. 3.—Interior of By-Product Plant.

THE OTTO-HOFFMAN COKE OVEN PLANT AT RECKLINGHAUSEN II. COLLIERY.

Tests with American Coal.

Mr. Wilcox, in order to test the Otto ovens so far as their work with American coals was concerned, took over a quantity. The first was a sample of coal taken from the H. C. Frick Company, near Scottdale, Pa., on March 3, 1894. The tests commenced on April 6.

No. 1 Test.—Two wooden boxes were placed in an oven and ran 48 hours. In one box was crushed dry coal and in the other run of mine dry coal. The samples were quenched carefully and a very fine coke was produced.

No. 2 Test.—Dry run of mine coal.
Duration of process, 24 hours. Coke excellent, apparently no difference in appearance from 48 hour test. In charges Nos. 1 and 2 the boxes contained about 150 pounds.

No. 3 Test. - Charge of 11,000 pounds or 5.5 net tons. Duration of process, 28 hours. Yield of blast furnace coke 72 per cent.; crushed coke and braise

68.6 per cent.; spongy coke and braise,

No. 5 Test.—Two boxes, each con-No. 5 Test.—Two boxes, each containing 150 pounds of coal. The oven was around in 30 hours, the quality of coke being good. One sample crushed and dry gave 72 per cent. good coke and 1.5 per cent. crushed coke and braise. The other sample crushed and wet containing 12 6 per cent. water, gave a total of 78.2 per cent. coke, of which 71.8 per cent. blast furnace coke and 1.4 per cent. braise and small coke.

which 71.8 per cent. blast furnace coke and 1.4 per cent. braise and small coke. No. 6 Test.—The ovens were cooler and charged with 7000 pounds dry crushed coal, equal to 3.5 net tons. The oven was around in 26 hours. The quality of coke was good. The quantity of blast furnace coke was 71.03 per of blast furnace coke was 71.03 per cent., and of fine coke and braise 2.51 per cent.

Conclusions Drawn from Tests.

The tests showed conclusively that the Connellsville coal can be success-

the coke has or has not a silver luster made no difference.

The comparatively small amount of coal available for the experiment was a great drawback. The coal was sent to works where one of the poorest cokes the whole Westphalian district is produced, owing to the inferior coal from this mine. This was done to defrom this mine. This was done to de-monstrate that the Otto ovens make an excellent coke if the coal is suitable. In the first test the oven was too hot, as the preliminary tests showed the Connellsville coal to be most rich in gas and easily melted. Had the oven been cooler the coke would have been longer. In the second test, owing to a mistake of the night foreman, the oven was run very hot, and as a result we got some spongy coke.

In the third test the oven was cooler, resulting in a better coke, with a less percentage of fine coke and braise. Had the oven been still cooler and fully charged, better results would have been

The fact

This fact has been made the basis for

objections raised by Sir Lowthian Bell,

who contends that the greater volume of and higher calorific power of gases obtained from American and English coals would render it most difficult to

construct and maintain ovens to withstand the higher temperature, resulting from the combustion of the gases. Sir

Lowthian Bell has evidently not seen or examined the Otto plant. Had he done so he could not but admit that the quantity of gas admitted to the ovens is under perfect control and that no more is burned then is actually required. The:

is burned than is actually required. The temperature of the ovens can be main-

of the gas from the American coal being greater in volume and higher in calorific power is an advantage rather than a drawback, for the reason that there is a

much larger quantity available, and better quality, for heating purposes. Should it be desired to use the Otto-

Coppee oven without the recovery of by-

products, all that would be necessary

to do away with the excess gases would be the adoption of a few flues or vent

tained at any point desired.

obtained. The tests show that in a retort oven it is not necessary to wet or crush the coal, and that the best results can be obtained from the ordinary run of mine. A comparatively large retort should be used, thus making available more fuel gas. The tests show that the process can be completed with a full charge in from 32 to 36 hours, thus insuring a much large extent of form suring a much larger output from a given number of ovens than usually calculated upon, necessarily reducing labor on coke and by-products and increasing the output. Furthermore, the cooler it is possible to run the ovens the larger will be the percentage of tar, ammonia and benzole obtained. This being the case, it will be probably possible, if anything, to exceed the figures given by Dr. Knublauch, as they are based on the higher temperature received. the higher temperature required in Westphalia. The coke produced excited the greatest admiration of all the German blast furnace and colliery engineers who saw it, and a large sample was put on exhibition in the Icdustrial and Mining Exhibit at Gelsenkirchen.

A series of analyses were made to compare American and Westphalian coals, with the following results:

	I.	II.
Fixed carbon	87.017	87.250
Moisture	0.033	
Ash	11.320	11.995
Sulphur		0.746
Volatile matter		
		00.001
Totals	100.000	99.991

No. 1: Analysis of sample of coke from Connellsville coal coked in Otto ovens at Recklinghausen II; sampled by Schniewind and Farrell. In a large sample the water was 0.29 of 1 per cent. half an hour after quenching. No. 2: Analysis of coke, as given by J. D. Weeks in his report as being an average sample of Connellsville coke.

Dr. Knublauch remarked as follows on the result of the analysis of American coals: "The yield of gas from the samples is very high, and the illuminating power of the gas from the Connellsville coals (Nos. 1, 2 and 3) very strong. The quality and quantity of tar from samples Nos. 1, 2 and 3 is excellent. Assuming that these American coals are similar, as to their composi-tion, with those of Westphalia (for ex-ample do not contain carbon hydrogens of the paraphene order), then we may conclude, from the illuminating power

pipes to carry off this excess. The Quality of the Coke for Blast Furnace Use.

One of the objections usually raised by coke producers against the introduction of retort ovens is that the coke made in beehive ovens carries a greater burden. This has been strengthened by a test made by Sir Lowthian Bell, who compared the results of bee-

hive coke against Simon Carves coke, using 5600 tons of the latter. He claimed that its efficiency was only about 90 per cent. of the former, which practically offset the higher yield of coke in the Simon Carves over the beehive oven. The results obtained by

German furnacemen with retort coke, however, are such that the statement has been made: "If that is what they can do, the sooner American iron masters get such coke the better."

Mr. Wilcox visited a number of German works, and reports the following results: At the works of the Hoerder Eisenwerk in Hoerde, the manager, Mr. Hilgenstock, stated that his ore mixture through the furnace is 44 percent, and his maximum coke consumpcent., and his maximum coke consumption of 2000 to 2260 pounds of iron. The ores are easily reduced, and the product is high silicon Bessemer. He claims that after careful investigation his company erected 200 Otto ovens in preference to those of any other system, that they have never regretted this decision, and that after running 13 years the repairs on these ovens have been

simply nominal.

At Heinrichs-Huette, at Hattingen, the ores are barely all hard local fossils running 43 per cent. through the furnace, and the fuel consumption is 2240 pounds of coke to 2240 pounds of iron. Here they have 150 Otto ovens.

The third plant is that of the Schaler Gruben und Huetten-Verein in Bulmke. The ore mixture through the furnaces runs 47 per cent., the output is 200 tons daily of Bessemer iron. The coke consumption per ton of iron is 1980 pounds. The concern has 180 Otto ovens and will build more this coming summer.

The fourth plant was the Eisenhuette Phœnix in Laar, by Ruhrort. The output is Bessemer iron; the ore mixture through the furnace being 52 per cent. The coke consumption per ton of iron is 1900 pounds. The iron per cent. high silicon Bessemer. The management is perfectly satisfied with retort coke ovens.

Analysis of Connellsville and Pocahontas Coals Compared with Westphalian Coals.

] I.	II.	111.	ıv.
Coal.	Connellsville	e. At West Superior.	Connellsville.	Pocahontas.
Cubic feet gas per ton coal		9,030 72.75 3.80 1 01 0.515 68.54 10.93 2.02	9,190 72:30 4.00 1.066 0.58 68.44 8.45 1.47	9,126 84, 82 1,70 0,716 0,42 81,78 5,96 1,55 0,76
Coal.		V. Connellsville.	VI.	VII. Westphalia.
Water. Volatile matter. Fixed carbon. Sulphur Ash		Average. 1.560 30.107 59.616 0.784 8.23	1.47 30.09 59.35 0.64 8.45	29.64 59.72 10.64

No. 1. Sample of coal from H. C. Frick Company's Valley Works, near Scottdale, Pa. Sample taken from cars coming from mine, March 3, 1893, by Schniewind and Farrell. No. 2. Sample of coal from Lehigh Coal Company's docks at West Superior, Wis. Exposed on docks for seven months. Samples taken February 15, 1893, by Austin Farrell. No. 3. Average sample from 120 barrels H. C. Frick Com-pany's coal from Valley Colliery, sampled at Coke Works, Recklinghausen, on arrival of coal, April 6, 1893. No. 4. Sample of Pocahontas coal from Echman Colliery, Flat Top District, sampled by manager, March 3, 1893. No. 5. Average analysis of coal as given by J. D. Weeks in his Government report. No. 6. Sample of Con. ment report. No. 6 Sample of Connellsville coal from Valley Works of H. C. Frick Company. Analysis made by Dr. Knublauch. No. 7. Analysis of Recklinghausen No. 2 coal, sampled by Schniewind and Farrell, at Reckling-hausen Colliery, Westphalia. Analysis by Knublauch.

The following is an analysis of coke made in the Otto Hoffman ovens at No. 2 Colliery, Recklinghausen, compared with an average analysis of Connellsville coke as given by J. D. Weeks in his Government report:

of the gas as well as from the quality and quantity of the tar, that benzole is present in larger quantities than in Westphalian coal." Engineer Mein of the Otto Company, and Mr. Borges, coke superintendent at Recklinghausen, agree with Dr. Knublauch as to the The officers of the Otto Company state that in basing their calculations as to the value of new coals they are always guided by Dr. Knublauch's analyses, and that in all cases they find by practical experience that they get rather over than under the percentage of by-products, as shown by his analy-

sis.

There is a large amount of fuel gas

This gas available in the Otto system. This gas has a higher calorific power than the ordinary producer gas. It is perfectly stable and can be carried long distances as easily as illuminating gas. It is universally used at the different plants versally used at the different plants visited for generating steam for their separating plants and other purposes. At the works of Mahr. Ostra, this gas is conveyed through a 3-inch pipe for over \(\frac{1}{4}\) mile and used to generate steam at a rolling mill, where the results obtained are most excellent. The gas from the Complexille here a greater from the Connellsville has a greater calorific power than gas from the coals obtained from Westphalia and Austria. The fifth plant was that of Bochumer Verein, at Bochum. The output is Bessemer pig; the ore mixture through the furnace being 45 per cent. The iron produced is very high in silicon. The consumption of coke is 2100 pounds per ton iron. The coke is made in Otto ovens.

The sixth plant was that of Sophien Huette, at Mahr-Ostra, Austria, who make special high silicon foundry iron and mill iron. The foundry iron contains 4 per cent. silicon, and they make 95 per cent. No. 1. This special iron requires 2850 pounds of coke to 2240 pounds of iron. In mill iron the consumption of coke is 1980 pounds. The ore mixture through the furnace is 50 per cent. All the ovens are Otto. An additional number will be built this summer. The coke is inferior, but this is due to bad quality of coal. It could not well use it without the Otto ovens. It will be noticed from these data that the fuel consumption is most excellent considering the mixture, and compares favorably with our best American practice.

Yield of By-Products.

A very considerable difference exists between the various systems of coke ovens used in Europe in the quantity of by-products obtained. The following data, collected by Mr. Wilcox, give the comparative yield of by-products obtained from similar coals by different systems covering the same period of time. This comparison speaks for itself. It has shown the superiority of the Otto to the other systems. The figures are taken from the books of the different companies, and in the case of Mr. Huessener were immediately after the plant had been thoroughly repaired, while the Otto ovens had been running for a period of three and one-half years with no repairs whatever. The coals were substantially the same, with the exception of Seibel, which should have a still larger yield than that of any other records, by the admission of their own representatives:

System.	Time.	Ammonia Sulphate.	Tar, Per cent.
Otto-Hoffman Carves-Huessener. Semet-Solvay Seibel	Oct. '92-Feb. '93. Oct. '92-Mar. '93.	$\frac{1.00}{0.61}$	$\frac{1.81}{1.60}$

All the works visited in Europe claim profits and look prosperous. How these profits vary can be seen by examining the table of comparative yields. If the Seibel people claim a profit, and they are running to day and have run for years, how much more in comparison must be the profit of the Otto people?

It may be of interest to present the following data concerning the work of the Otto Hoffman plant at No. 2 Colliery, Recklinghausen, near Bochum, Westphalia. It consists of 60 ovens and the very substantial condensation plant shown in our engravings. It has run 3½ years and thus far has had no repairs. The coal is poor, as the following analysis shows: Volatile matter, 29.64 per cent.; fixed carbon, 59 35 per cent., and ash, 10.64 per cent. The yield in coke varies from 74 to 84 per cent., and the yield of braise 2 per cent. The coke is controlled by the mining company, who limit the time at which the ovens shall be run. If it were extended to 48 hours, the coke would be better. The charge per oven is 6.76

net tons of dry coal, which carries 12½ per cent. of water, and the average running time is 40.8 hours. The ovens, which have the dimensions which are standard in Westphalia, are 21.5 inches at the small end and 25.3 inches at the large end. They are 32.8 feet long and 5 7 feet high. The following is the crew required to run the plant:

Men employed—

1 Foreman at \$37.50 per month and house.

1 Assistant at 86 cents per day and house.

oke o	vens-	
Day.	Night.	Per man per cent
3	3	Levelers and quenchers 5.7
2	2	Door closers5.7
2 2	2	Coal fillers5.4
2	2	Trammers5.5
1	1	Engineer (pusher)5.
10	10	

Labor per oven filling, tramming, closing, leveling, pushing and quenching is $55\frac{4}{10}$ cents per oven.

Day. Night.
3 Loaders paid 4 cents per ton.
1 Removing braise 76 cents per day.

Labor per net ton of coke, including superintendent and loading on cars, $16\frac{1}{10}$ cents, based on six months' run. Ovens drawn, 5394; coke produced, blast furnace, 19,812; crushed, 5635; total, 25,447 gross trns; net tons, 27,992. Coal used, 36,550 net tons. Total coke, 76.5 per cent.

Condensation Plant.

1 foreman \$65.40 per month and house. 1 assistant \$41.70 per month and house.

Both Shifts Together.

2 engineers, at 83 cents \$1.66 4 men in ammonia factory, at 80 cents 3 20 2 valve men, at 83 cents 1 66 4 pipe cleaners, at 78 cents 1.56 1 water tender, at 82 cents 82
Total\$8.90
Total labor for six months \$2,266.85 Sulphuric acid required 431 T. at
\$6 80
Total \$5.807.65

Product of Recklinghausen No. 2 for Half Year Ending March 31, 1893.

		Per cent.
Ammonia sulphate	431,3	1.18
far	1,114.8	3.05
Pitch		48
Blast furnace coke1	9,812	54.2
rushed coke	6,635	15.1
Coal equivalent of gas	4,380	12
Total3	1,546.1	86.01

Gases.—After heating the ovens and furnishing steam for the condensation plant, there is enough gas to develop 360 horse power, 290 of which is used by the mining company to run their washing, screening and separating plant. There are two water tube boilers, 180 horse-power each, similar to the Babcock & Wilcox. The average daily excess gas is 1,112,000 cubic feet.

Yield of Tar and Ammonia.

Month.	Year.	Pitch.	Tar.	Ammonium Sulphate.
October November December January February March	1892 1892 1892 1893 1893 1893	0.67 0.64 0.46 0.29 0.36 0.43	3.00 3.00 3.20 3.02 3.02 3.08 3.01	1.16 1.17 1.19 1.16 1.20 1.21

Benzole......0.3 to 0.7 per cent.

Present Value of By-Products—End of March, 1894.

	po	und
Ammonium sulphate		0 023
Tar, per net ton		
Pitch, per ton		514
Benzole, per gallon		0.52
Sulphuric acid 60 B, per net ton		6.80
Blast furnace coke (ovens)		2.40
Foundry coke		3.00
Crushed coke		3.15
Coking coal		1.20

Coke Produced and Ovens Turned Out

Month.	Dry coal coked. Net tons.	Furnace coke.	Crushed coke.				Number ovens drawn.	
Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb	5,954 6,074 6,122 5,490	3,503 3,456 3,547 3,938 3,300 4,048	1 451 335 429 368 319 390	2 42° 478 363 225 319 225	3 250 231 187 151 291 209	104 88 95 107	839 1,036	937 8-0 889 905 812 971

The ovens are 17 inches wide at one end and 13.5 inches at the other end; the length is 30 feet and the hight 5 feet. The ovens take a charge of 4.6 net tons dry coal. The amount of gas produced is 4,236,000 cubic feet daily. Of this five-sevenths is used at the ovens, the excess of gas being 1,210,000 cubic feet. The power required for the condensation plant is 50 horse-power. The five double cylinder boilers, of a French type, with 915 aggregate horse-power, are heated by waste gas. In addition to this some gas is used for drying ammonium sulphate. These boilers are situated at the rolling mill, about a quarter of a mile distant. The following are the results:

Average Figures for Year 1892-1893.

Number of ovens run Running time	2716 net tons. 32.1 hours.
Charge per oven (dry coal)	4.6 net tons.
Sulphate of ammonia per mo. (average)	163 net tons
Tar per month (average)	442.6 net tons
Pitch	90 net tons
Price sulphate of ammonia,	*** **
per pound, 0.026	\$52.00

Percentage of By-Products.

	cent.
Sulphate of ammonia	1.337
Tar	3.540
Pitch	0.720

Profits — Profits from condensation plant alone, including everything except taxes, is \$71,450.80 for the past year. The ground is gradually settling, but no repairs in the ovens have been necessary, and no trouble has been experienced.

This plant costs complete, including ovens, condensation plant, laboratory, tools, electric light, in fact, every detail complete, and the plant put in operation, 750,000 marks, or \$178,600. This includes Dr. Otto & Co.'s profits for erection and royalties. Dr. Otto & Co. erected the plant, and after a certain number of years turned it over to the colliery free of charge.

The following data were collected by Mr. Wilcox at the coke works in Mahr.

The following data were collected by Mr. Wilcox at the coke works in Mahr. Ostra: The coal is not very good, being high in ash, and contains 15 per cent. of water. Of the coal used 81 per cent. is washed and 19 per cent. not washed. Loss in washing coal is 15 per cent. Coal very meager. The yield is 70 per cent. of blast furnace coke and 4 per cent. of small coke and braise. Although the plant has been ruuning for three and one-half years, the repairs have been practically nothing. The percentage of water in the coke is 1.5 per cent.

According to elaborate statistical returns lately issued by the British Board of Trade the total existing tonnage of the British merchant navy is more than that of all the other nations of the world together. The exact figures given are: Total tonnage of the world, 24 569,496; total British tonnage, 12,969,951.



Forging by Hydraulic Pressure.

From a valuable paper on forging by hydraulic pressure, read by the eminent authority on this subject, Ralph Hart Tweddell, before the Institution of Civil Engineers, we take the follow-

ing:
The introduction of the hydraulic forging press is due to M. Gledhill, managing director of Sir Joseph Whitmanaging director of Sir J worth & Co. About the years 1860-61, vance in constructive machinery is due, and in support of this statement Colonel Dyer of the Elswick Works thus writes

Dyer of the Eiswick Works thus wifees to the author:

"The introduction of hydraulic forging is undoubtedly due to M. Gledhill, who for many years has been the managing director of the well-known works of Sir Joseph Whitworth of Man chester. He introduced the system and confected all the details: if you apply perfected all the details; if you apply to him he will supply you with the whole history of hydraulic forging.

assorting of iron and the treatment of the metal in the furnaces, there is no intention to draw distinctions; but as to the treatment of the metal after casting, there can be no doubt of the superiority of the system adopted by Sir Joseph Whitworth over that of all the manufacturers in the world. is only from personal observation that the merits of the system can be fully

appreciated.
"The system of forging consists in compressing the liquid metal in the

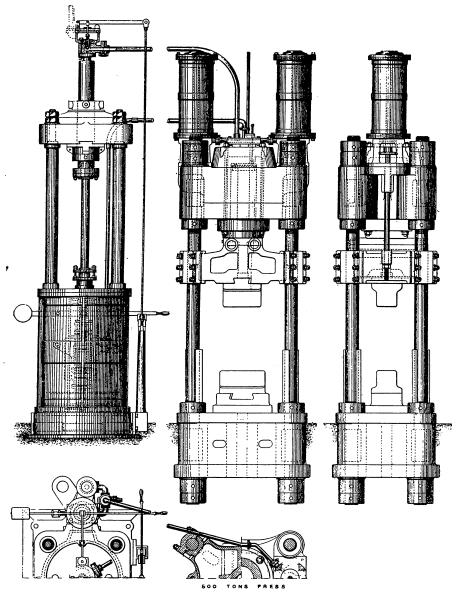


Fig. 1.—The Greenwood and Batley Press.

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the firm in question had considerable trouble in obtaining steel suitable for the manufacture of guns. So far as the art of steel manufacture was then understood, nothing could be alleged against its quality. It was this which suggested to Sir Joseph Whitworth the idea of subjecting this material to a very high pressure when in a fluid state, his notion being that this compression could be applied not only to ingots but to castings of all shapes. This, how-ever, was not found practicable, and it was then that Mr. Gledhill suggested forging the ingot after compression in a suitable hydraulic press. The author has taken some trouble to ascertain to whom the credit of so distinct an ad-

Everything which has been done as regards hydraulic forging both in Eng-

land and abroad is an imitation of the system which Mr. Gledhill perfected." It is generally understood that a sim-ilar system of forging is in use at Els-wick, but the author has not been fortunate enough to see it in operation there.

The members of the United States Navy Gun Foundry Board thus reported their impressions on a similar occasion:

"In speaking of the Whitworth establishment as unique, and of the process of manufacture at that place as a revelation, reference is specially made to the subject of forging. As to the After describing in general terms the mode of working the press, the board

proceeded to say:
"The effect produced by it (the press) requires to be seen to be thoroughly appreciated, and is altogether different from that produced by the hammer. The heated ingot resists the blow of the hammer, but the insinuating, persevering effort of the press cannot be denied The longer time (several seconds) during which the effort lasts is a great element in its successful effect. As pressure succeeds pressure, the stability of the particles is thoroughly distorted, and a veritable flow of metal induced, which arranges itself in such shape as the pressure indicates, the particles are forced into closer contact, and the whole mass writhes under the constraint which it is impotent to resist.

"The board witnessed the operation of casting, followed by that of liquid compress, the enlarging of hoops, the drawing out of cylinders, and the forging of a solid ingot. The unanimous opinion of the members is that the since that date. In 1861—about the time that Whitworth made his first -John Haswell (an Englishman) introduced his hydraulic press into the State Railway at Vienna. This, however, was not a forging but a stamping-press, and has been described as follows:

"The system may be compared somewhat to forging in dies under the steam hammer; but it permits the work to be finished much more accurately, and it also enables forgings to be produced

The author had some interesting correspondence with the late Mr. Haswell about 20 years ago, and there can be no doubt but that to him is largely due the present use of hydraulic pressure for forging and working metals. Mr. Haswell's free publication of his method of working, and the results he obtained abroad, undoubtedly did much to popabroad, undoubtedly did much to pop-ularize the hydraulic system and to set other minds at work. The experiments made by Professor Tresca on the "Flow of Solids" undoubtedly also led many engineers to study the question of forg-ing scientifically, and indirectly assisted ing scientifically, and indirectly assisted the introduction of the hydraulic forg-

Conditions for Successful Forging.

In order to insure success in the application of the hydraulic press to forg-ing the following conditions must be fulfilled:

1. The press must be so proportioned as to insure the utmost rigidity, any movement of the main columns of course interfering with the correctness

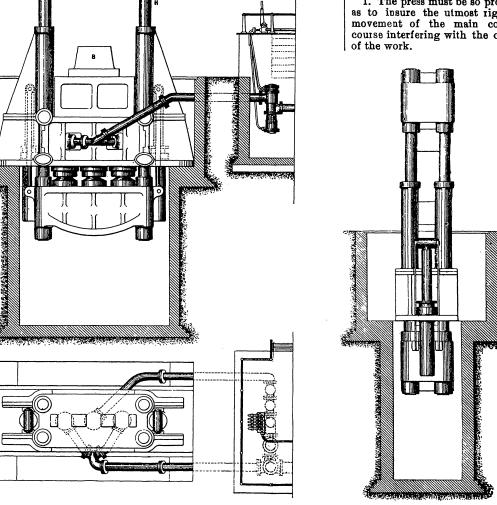


Fig. 2,—Tweddell, Platt and Fielding System.

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system of Sir Joseph Whitworth & Co. surpasses all other methods of forging, and that it gives better promise than any other of securing that uniformity so indispensable in good gun metal."

The author has quoted this report because of its conciseness and the correctness of its forecasts, and because it exactly describes the effect (so far as it speaks of the process of forging) produced on his own mind by a visit paid by him to the Whitworth Works. It must be remembered also that the report refers to a visit made ten years ago, and that many applications and advances in the introduction of hydraulic forging-presses have been made 3. Pressing for drawing steel (producing axles, &c.). 4. For jumping up and finishing parts of frames.

which could never be otherwise manufactured under the hammer. This mode of production offers the incalculable advantage of very great cheapness, and also the possibility to forge all details out of one piece, which it was necessary, formerly, to build up out of several detached pieces, and lastly, their exceeding quickness of manufacture."

Has well divided the classes of work

which he proposed to do into four

1. Subpressing with closed dies. Subpressing combined with punching.

- 2. The crane power must be not only ample, but so arranged that enormous weights, in many cases amounting to from 100 to 120 tons, can be manipulated by unskilled laborers. Hydraulic power, on the whole, seems to be the best to enable this to be done.

 3. The details of the construction of
- such parts as the valves and pumping arrangements must be as perfect as possible.
- 4. A considerable amount of ingenuity and practical experience is required in making suitable tools for attachment to the press.

Assuming that a maker has appliances for making the large castings, in many



cases weighing 70 tons each, and steel columns, in some instances 26 inches diameter and 42 feet long and weighing, say, 35 tons each, the first of the above conditions is perhaps the least difficult to fulfill. For the smaller presses, if sufficient thought is bestowed upon it, the design presents no great difficulties, and the simpler the arrangement the better the press as a working tool. But it may be taken as an axiom that the greater the rigidity of the press the better the quality of the work done by it, and it is desirable to impart the power of the same to the work in hand and not to distorting the press.

The second condition, that of crane power, is met in various ways by different firms.

ent firms. As a rule, traveling cranes worked by steam are preferred, but in other cases hydraulic lifts are employed other cases hydraulic lifts are employed to great advantage. In connection with this subject a great deal will depend upon the discipline and the organization of the men working the press. It is a curious fact that Nasmyth, so far back as 1854, patented an arrangement of hydraulic cranes to "facilitate the forging of iron," which shows his wonderful grasp of the conditions necessary for successful working. But in actual for successful working. But in actual work the third condition is the most essential of all and by far the most difficult to fulfill. A large hydraulic forg-ing press renders a very high working pressure of water necessary, in order to obtain the required power in a cylinder of practicable dimensions. The pressure varies between 2 and 3 tons per square inch, and with water under such pressures, working machines subject to considerable shocks, it is very difficult to keep valves and joints tight. This difficulty is increased by the intermittent character of the working of these large hydraulic presses. An ingot weighing, say, 30 tons, will be 24 hours in the furnace, and perhaps require only an hour to be drawn down to the required shape in the press, and any practicable multi-plication of furnaces will still leave the press idle perhaps three quarters of the working day. On the other hand, when an ingot is once out and in the press, every joint must be tight and in order; otherwise the loss is great, and as a matter of fact the success of a press depends upon these details. Most of these difficulties are due to water being practically inelastic. This, while constituting its chief advantage for such work, involves an immediate loss of pressure if there is the slightest leakage. There is none of this trouble with the smaller presses, which only require a working pressure of 50 or 100 atmospheres to obtain the necessary power.

Systems of Working.

To overcome this trouble with the packings and valves of large presses, several systems of working them have been devised, having different combinations of pumps and reservoirs. Among these are the following:

In the Whitworth press the movements of the main ram necessary to

In the Whitworth press the movements of the main ram necessary to enable the ingot or other work to be adjusted, and of the lifting cylinders, whose rams effect the return or upward stroke of the press, as well as the cranes and lifts used for taking the work to and from the furnace, are worked from an accumulator loaded to a pressure of about 2 tons per square inch. This insures quickness of action. In order to control with ease and promptness the action of the forging ram, the water from the pumps is directed into the ram cylinder by closing an escape valve; two valves are employed, the larger of which is the main valve. When this is

raised the water passes freely without acting upon the ram of the forging cylinder and the engine is instantly relieved of the load. As already stated, the return stroke of the ram is then effected by pressure from the accumulator of the lifting rams; and by suitable valves the engine is relieved from its load except during the period when the forging ram is actually squeezing; this work therefore is not done from an accumulator, but direct from the number.

In the Davy press, water pumped into an air receiver in which a pressure of 60 pounds per square inch is maintained, is used for filling the main cylinder during the idle portion of its stroke, and is also

a "direct steam driver." This apparatus is well known under the name of an "intensifier," in which a piston of considerable size is forced outward by either steam or water at a moderate pressure, and this being connected with a much smaller piston working in a hydraulic cylinder, the pressure in the latter is increased inversely as the areas of the pistons. Since this "direct steam driver" is only simple acting, after the contents of one are delivered into the forging press, the latter will cease working until the high pressure cylinder is filled again. The chief merits claimed for this system are that it has no valves in the moving high pressure column, and that it combines

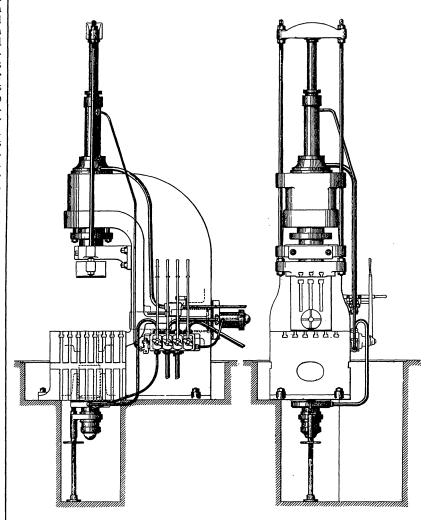


Fig. 3.—Press Supplied Great Western Railway Company.

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in connection with the suction valves of the pumps. The pressure required to do the work is obtained direct from the pumps. The lifting and return motions in the Davy press are also done direct from the pumps. In this case, too, only the actual pressure required need be exerted by the pumps.

need be exerted by the pumps.

In the Walker press the pressure water required to effect the forging and to make the return motions of the press is admitted direct from the accumulator; but arrangements are made to admit low pressure water into the large cylinder when it is descending and not pressing the ingot.

In the form of press introduced by Greenwood and Batley there are, strictly speaking, no pumps used. The power necessary to press the work is obtained by means of what is termed

(though in both cases within a very limited range) the properties of a force pump and an accumulator, without the trouble of the valves of the one and of the shock from the arrested momentum of the other. On a similar principle is A. B. Brown's hydraulic forging press, in which the main cylinder of the press is connected to a steam accumulator or intensifier, and discharge pipe, for adjusting the highest position of the main ram in combination with a valveless connection between the main cylinder and a hydraulic cylinder, in which works a small ram moved by a piston in the steam cylinder.

in the steam cylinder.

Forging involves in many cases the production of irregular forms from large masses of steel. Seeing that the ingot is generally of a rectangular shape, it requires considerable clearance to

allow of its being turned over between the top die and the anvil, which means a long and variable working stroke of the hydraulic ram. But in the early days of hydraulic presses there were practical difficulties in obtaining material strong enough for cylinder castings of the required length. This difficulty has now been entirely overcome.

Hydraulic Press vs. Steam Hammer.

The author now proposes to consider the relative merits of the hydraulic press and the steam hammer. To those who have during the last ten years observed the gradual change of opinion on this subject it seems almost to be slaying the slain to give reasons in favor of the use of hydraulic power. Some 20 years ago, in the course of a discussion on a paper read by the author advocating the use of hydraulic pressure for forging, the late Benjamin Walker stated that the prejudice against the introduction of steam hammers into a new iron works, in which he was interested, was so great that they were completely excluded in favor of the old helve hammer; in fact it was stated that good iron could only be made with the helve hammer. Subsequently steam hammers were admitted when it was found that not only could the iron be more easily worked, but that less skill was needed; the practical reason of its superiority being that the work could be more easily dealt with by them than under the old helve. Very much the same class of objections were made to the introduction of the hydraulic press, and now its followers often overrate the and now his followers often overrate the advantages of the press and will hear nothing good of the hammer. As a matter of fact, so long as the steam hammer is powerful enough for its work it has the same effect on the material as a press, and owing to the pharm blow it to a constitution of the standard of the standar sharp blow it can give, it possesses, in some cases, advantages over the latter. For example, in finishing off work the rapid succession of light blows gives a finish to the work; and in the case of welding many forge men maintain that the blow from the hammer expels dirt or scale, which in using the press is left in the forging. On the other hand, a large amount of satisfactory welding is done under the press, and the author has seen a 40 ton press working up fag-gots satisfactorily from select scrap into forgings for the best class of engine

But while there is still a large field for the steam hammer for work of ordinary size, and for the preparation of work to be finished in a press, the hydraulic press is the only tool which can practically be made of sufficient power to convert ingots weighing from 30 to 60 tons into shafts, guns or armor plates.

The hydraulic press became a necessity as soon as the effect of the steam hammer was found to be only skin deep. This was not due to the action of the hammer, but rather to its want of size, and the well known "awful examples" generally given to show the different appearance of a forging acted upon by pressure and by impact are approximately only correct if the hammer is not equal to its work. At the same time it is certain that the steady effort of the press penetrates the forging much farther than the blows of the hammer. This is well illustrated in ordinary riveting where the holes are completely filled by the rivet, when hydraulic pressure is applied, while the effect of the hammer is chiefly expended in spreading out the heads.

According to Fairbairn, an ingot weighing 22 hundred weight, shown at the 1851 exhibition by a Sheffield firm, was considered quite exceptional. Ingots are now frequently cast weighing 60 to 80 tons. It is evident that the inertia of such masses will absorb the blow of even a large hammer on its surface only, and in any case a large number of blows is required, which means time and consequent cooling of the ingot. In the hydraulic press, so long as the pressure is maintained, the tool continues to travel. treating the huge steel ingot much as if it were a mass of putty. It must, however, be remembered that this steel ingot is perfectly homogeneous, and the work to be done differs in character from that formerly required when large guns and shafts were made of iron and built up in pieces. Fairbairn wrote, "Nothing could be better adapted than the steam hammer for building up a large mass by the union of successive portions, since the vis inertia of the slabs to be welded on to the original core is not so great as to absorb the momentum of the falling hammer; hence a large portion of the power it acquires in falling is transmitted to the surfaces intended to be united. But in forging and shaping large masses of cast steel, all these favorable conditions are reversed, and the steam hammer ceases to be an implement well adapted to the purpose."

Having now referred to the history of the introduction of the hydraulic forging press, to the different systems of generating the force it is required to exert, the author will in conclusion state the advantages claimed for the hy draulic forging press. Much thought has been expended in trying to calculate what size of hydraulic press is equal to a steam hammer capable of exerting a given force of blow. But it is hardly a question worth pursuing. Owing to the action of the hydraulic press being constantly progressive, the tool continues to force its way into the ingot until its resistance to alteration of form is equal to the pressure on the ram, or until the latter is removed. In this it differs entirely from the action of a hammer, which, having delivered one blow, does no more work on the forging until the next blow is delivered. This constitutes the essential difference between the two machines. The effect of the hammer is momentary, and there is not time for the pressure it gives to penetrate the metal, much less to alter its form to any extent at one blow; but in the hydraulic press the same rate of working per hour can be maintained, while the material is allowed every opportunity to flow in the required direction without injury. The effect of hydraulic pressure on forgings is to increase their homogeneity. leading firm in Sheffield informs the author "that the tests got from pressed steel are a long way better than ham-mered steel." While the blow of a steam hammer is given with least effect when it is most required, since it cannot get its full stroke until the forging is reduced in size, the hydraulic press exerts its full power at any point in its stroke.

It may, the author thinks, be taken as an axiom that waste of energy and noise are convertible terms. The power of the hydraulic press is practically all exerted upon the forging, and not dissipated in shocks to the framing and foundations. This is easily proved by the fact that the hydraulic press is self contained, and does not require foundations like those of the steam hammer; and the effects of its blows are not felt

in the shops or adjacent buildings. Sir James Kitson has said that the percussive force of the steam hammer was of advantage in getting rid of the cinder in puddled iron, but with steel such violence is not required, in fact undesirable, and has been, therefore, abandoned. A hydraulic press occupies much less headroom than a hammer, and consequently traveling cranes can be used, passing, if necessary, over the

Not only can more work be turned out by a press than by a steam hammer in a given time, but it can work through a much greater range; for, while the effect of a "blow" shortens the life of any of the tools or dies used, it renders impracticable the use of the numerous stamping dies and molds which are satisfactory under a steady pressure. A great deal of other work besides forging can be done in the same press by simply substituting suitable tools for flanging plates, punching large holes, bending armor and other plates, &c. But, apart from this, the art of forging large masses has made distinct advances since the introduction of hydraulic pressure; for it was formerly impracticable to forge the hollow marine shafts at pressent used, or to draw out gun tubes or hoops on mandrils supported on suitable standards.

Greenwood and Batley Press.

This machine is a combination of the forging press proper and a steam and hydraulic driving apparatus; the latter consists of a single acting steam cylinder, with a piston rod working in a smaller hydraulic cylinder. The press proper, Fig. 1, consists of a cast hydraulic cylinder and cross head (cast in one), connected by four columns to a cast iron foundation plate, having a planed surface for the forging tools. The columns are prolonged above the hydraulic cylinder and cross head, and carries a steam cylinder, used for raising the cast iron hydraulic ram with the cross head and tools. The steam supply for this raising cylinder is controlled by the regulator used for the driving apparatus. The hydraulic forging cylinder is connected to the driving cylinder without the intervention of any valves. On actuating the hand lever of the regulator, the steam in the raising cylinder is released, and the ram cross head falls by its own weight and rests on the work to be stamped. A further move-ment of the lever in the same direction admits steam to the driving apparatus and the full hydraulic pressure is applied. On moving the lever in a contrary direction steam is admitted to the raising cylinder, and the ram cross head (which is guided by the four columns) is quickly raised, the superfluous water in the hydraulic forging cylinder is returned to the supply mank. There is an automatic arrangement for keeping the main cylinder and pipes full of water while the ram cross head is being quickly lowered to the work.

Tweddell, Platt and Fielding System.

Fig. 2 shows a design for a 1000-ton triple power forging press, the object of the arrangement being to allow as much clear space as possible for the cranes and gear above the anvil. The cylinders are placed below the ground level and are arranged in a set of three. This not only keeps them of a manageable size and reasonable cost for very large presses, but admits of three powers being readily applied, thus effecting a great saving of pumping power. By far the larger portion of the weight be-

ing below the floor level, great steadiness is insured. A stationary base carries an anvil. In this base are arranged the cylinders, one or more with their rams projecting downward and pressing on the lower cross head. This cross head is connected to an upper cross head is connected to an upper cross head by columns, which are guided through the base. The upper moving tool or die is attached to the moving cross head. The return motion can be effected in any convenient manner. In the diagram it is shown done by rams. The cross heads are at first allowed to fall by gravity (after having been raised in the first place by the lifting rams), low pressure water filling up the space left in the cylinders by the outgoing ram. Then the high pressure is ap plied for so long as is desired. On opening the exhaust valves the upper tool is again raised by the rams.

again raised by the rams.

Fig. 3 represents a 200-ton press of the class supplied to the Great Western Railway Company, Swindon. With these presses a great variety of work is done, including all the fittings required for railway rolling stock, also stamping the receiver ends for air brake vessels, and various details for locomotive en-

gine forgings.

In addition to the ordinary vertical press cylinder, this press has a horizontal ram at the back, also a supplementary ram in the bottom of the casting, the sides of which are planed and slotted in the same manner as ordinary drilling or shaping machines. The capacity and range of work of such a tool as this are very great.

A Large Electric Contract in Chicago

Another heavy contract for electric street railway equipment was closed in Chicago on the 31st ult. The Chicago City Railway Company, operating a very extensive system on the South Side of the city contracted with the Worth of the city, contracted with the Westinghouse Electric Mfg. Company for \$300,000 worth of electric machinery, with which it is proposed to operate trolley lines. The electric cars will soon replace the car horses on all the lines of the company with the exception of Indiana avenue, where the company must first obtain the consent of the majority of the property owners before it can change its mode of opera-tion. After working nearly a year and a half the Chicago City Railway Company succeeded in getting through the council an omnibus ordinance, which was passed July 16. The original propostion of the company had been vetoed by Mayor Harrison and again by Mayor Hopkins. The latter suggested amendments which were accepted by the company, whereby it pays the city \$150,000 for the privilege of changing the mode of transportation. The new electric apparatus is to be placed in the power house at Fifty-first and State streets. Four 700 horse-power gener ators are now in position, and the Westinghouse Company will build six others. This will give the plant a 7000 horse-power. Within a month the company propose to operate the line on Halstead street, from Sixty-ninth to Root street, to Wentworth avenue, to Thirty-ninth street and to State street.

The price of flour has in most sections of the country reached the lowest point ever known in the market, following the low price of wheat; yet the baker gets the same price for his loaf as he did when wheat was nearly double the value per bushel that it is at present.

The Fairbanks Compound Suspension Scale.

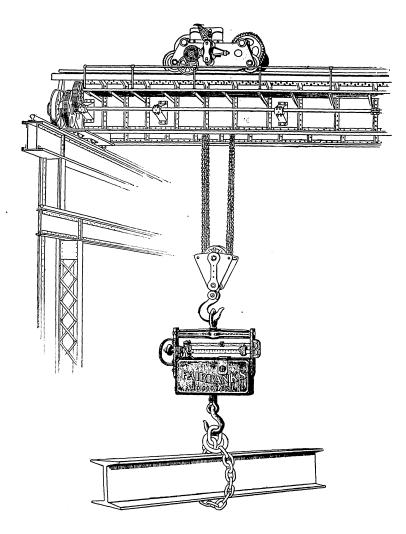
The new compound suspension scale designed by the Fairbanks Company, New York, is intended for weighing articles of all kinds in the act of being loaded, unloaded, or otherwise moved by cranes. The load is weighed as it is lifted and all the time and labor of placing it on and removing it from a platform scale are saved. As may be seen by reference to Fig. 2, which is a side view of the several levers and weighing beam, the machine is constructed upon the same compound lever principles which have been so long employed in the Fairbanks scales.

of 4, 7½ and 10 respectively, beginning at the lowest, the combined multiplication from the hook to the beam being 300. The following dimensions will give an idea of the small space occupied by these scales:

Capacity. 6,000 pounds. 8,000 pounds. 10,000 pounds. 16,000 pounds. 22,000 pounds.	Size. 31 inches. 32 inches. 33 inches. 36 inches. 37 inches.	Weight. 200 pounds. 225 pounds. 250 pounds. 300 pounds. 350 pounds.
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Ogden & Wallace's New Warehouse.

Ogden & Wallace, who recently removed from 85-91 Elm street, New York, where they had carried on the iron and steel business successfully for



THE FAIRBANKS COMPOUND SUSPENSION SCALE.

All the bearings are of steel, tempered and hardened, and the other working parts are strongly built of the best iron and steel. All parts liable to injury are protected by an iron and steel box surounding the levers, as shown in the perspective view. All the capacity of the scale is indicated upon the beam so that no loose weights are required. The beam is graduated to the standard of any country, as may be desired, and is made with V shaped notches, which are both more convenient for use and remain accurate longer than any other form. A large balance ball is provided to take the tare of slings, &c. The beam is divided by 5-pound marks and the machine is sensitive to a very small amount. The drawing, Fig. 2, shows that the load is transmitted from the hook to the weighing beam through three levers, which have a multiplication

over 19 years, to their new warehouse and office at the southeast corner of Houston and Greenwich streets, are now fairly settled in their new quarters. To those who were familiar with the firm's old establishment on Elm street, the new structure and its appointments will prove something of a revelation. Growth of business and the need of greater facilities, together with the fact that the proposed widening of Elm street would necessitate their removal, led to the firm's decision to seek new quarters. It was decided to locate on the West Side and because the bulk of their city business lay on that side. The location selected is accessible from all parts of the city, the Ninth Avenue Elevated station adjoining their building, a cross-town car, transferring at Broadway, passing by the door, and the Sixth, Eighth and Ninth avenue and

West street lines of horse cars passing within two blocks.

The warehouse, which is 100 x 100 feet in size, one story high, rests on a solid foundation of crushed stone and Portland cement. It has an equal frontage on Houston and Greenwich streets, and a driveway 25 feet wide extends through from street to street, forming an L. Special emphasis is laid on the fact that this driveway extends entirely through the warehouse, that it permits free access of a truck to almost every part of the store, and that a double truck can turn in any portion of it.

of the loft, making it possible to load and unload material from the street as well as from the interior.

The rack for sheet iron and steel is located on the east side of the building, and is 60 feet long, 10 feet high and 4 feet deep. There are 44 divisions, the total capacity of the rack being about 100 tons. The same construction has been followed in building this rack as employed in the bar iron rack. The firm were undecided at first whether to use wooden or iron uprights, but after due consideration it was decided that the former would fill the requirements, and

and 8 feet high. The divisions are 15 x 15 inches, and the entire rack has facilities for storing 500 tons. A loft over this rack is used for storing Norway iron hoops, &c. About 200 tons can be carried in stock. Located opposite the sheet iron rack already referred to, and running at right angles to the rack for shapes, is a rack for sheets. This is a double rack, 37 feet long, arranged for inserting and removing material from either side. It is 9 to 24 feet high and has a capacity of 150 tons. In the intervening space in the northwest corner of the warehouse are flat racks for cut scrolls, thin sheet iron and sheet steel. The divisions are formed by round iron driven into the flooring, and several hundred tons can here be accommodated. A door opening on Green wich street permits of free access by truck to the stock located in this corner of the warehouse.

To the right on entering the warehouse by the driveway from the Houston street side is located the shipping office, and back of that the boiler for the heating system, a lavatory for the workmen and the coal bin. Two Fairbanks plaiform scales are provided—one located at each of the entrances, besides five Fairbanks rolling mill scales. The whole structure is abundantly lighted by seven skylights, 10 x 15 feet, the employment of wire glass giving them a noticeable appearance of neatness. Four of them are provided with a patent arrangement for ventilation. The roof at the highest point is about 27 feet above the floor, a gradual slant taking place for the purpose of drainage.

The firm carry in stock a full assortment of bar and bundle iron and steel, hoops, bands and scrolls, heavy plates and sheets, hoops for coopers' use, angles

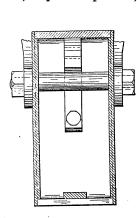


Fig. 3.—Vertical Section at Right Angles to Fig. 2.

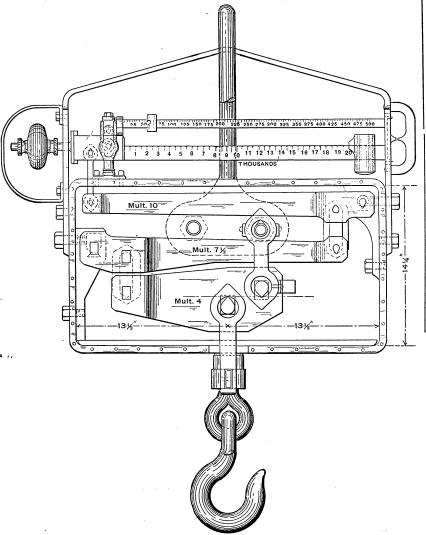


Fig. 2.—Sectional Elevation.

THE FAIRBANKS COMPOUND SUSPENSION SCALE.

Entering the warehouse from the Greenwich street side, to the right of the driveway is a rack 100 feet long for holding bar iron. This rack, like all the other horizontal racks, is constructed of wood uprights, 8 feet high, placed 15 inches apart, with 1-inch round iron piercing them transversely at an equal distance of 15 inches for supporting the load, the depth of the rack being 18 feet. There are 450 of these divisions, each capable of holding 31 to 4 tons of bar iron. This rack extends the entire length of the south side of the warehouse, the foundation being four rows of clushed stone and Portland cement with 12-inch brick walls Above it is a loft for storing band, hoop and acroll iron. A door is provided at the Greenwich street end

experience has proven that they were correct in these conclusions.

Referring now to the square formed between the driveway and the street: On the Greenwich street side, extending from the driveway to the Houston street side and along Houston street for 36 feet, and then parallel with Greenwich street for 60 feet, are bins 5 feet deep for accommodating the various sizes of rods and other bundle iron and steel. These bins are formed by 1-inch round iron, projecting 5 feet from a wood cross post secured to the walls. There are 60 of these bins, with a combined capacity of about 500 tons.

Directly across the driveway from and facing the bar iron rack is a center rack for shapes. This rack is 35 feet long and 22 feet deep, closed at the end,

and tees, channels and beams of iron and steel, Norway iron, shafting iron and steel, rods, horseshoe iron, cast and machinery steel and grooved iron. The aggregate stock usually carried is about 2000 tons. With this amount of stock in place, it is seen that the firm have made ample provisions for still further expansion of business. The systematic arrangement of the stock and the amount of clear floor space which can be used for the hasty accumulation of stock prior to stacking it in place are striking features of the warehouse.

The office, which is located in a second story on the Houston street side of the warehouse, is a still greater departure from the old order of things. The entrance is on Houston street, and opens into a spacious vestibule finished

in solid oak. Broad stairs lead up to the first landing, where they turn before reaching the office proper. Opening off this landing is the lavatory for the office force. The staircase, like the vestibule, is finished in solid oak. The office itself is 60 x 33 feet, with ceiling 12 feet high. The attention is first drawn to the eastern end of the office, where a most effective attempt at ornamentation has been made. This entire end of the office, from floor to ceiling, has been finished in quartered oak panels, the center being occupied by a large fire place built of Pompeian brick with black iron trimmings From the fire place the wall on either side gradually inclines outward, permitting the safe to be set into the space thus made on one side, and of coat rooms and telephone closet on the other side, besides adding to the attractiveness of the arrangement. The space above these and above the fire place has been util-

June, 1891, by which special rates on certain imports into Porto Rico and Cuba were accorded to the United States. This action has been taken in consequence of the new United States tariff imposing a 40 per cent. duty on sugar. The Spanish journal El Nacional says: "This is the only way to put matters on a fair footing with the United States, which country is monopolizing Cuban trade to the disadvantage of the colony." This action will be most severely felt by the American exporters of provisions and breadstuffs, which, under the reciprocity arrangement, were largely free, or enjoyed a considerably reduced duty.

The McMyler Machine for Coaling Lake Steamers.

Next to the traffic in iron ore between the mining regions of Lake Superior were delayed two to four days in loading and with eight or ten men shoveling into buckets from a car 3 feet deep, and not taking probably more than 20 pounds to a shovelful, there was still the disadvantage of separating the coal

and breakage.

The effort, therefore, has been to secure dispatch for vessels approaching that obtained in the ore trade, where ships of 3000 to 3500 tons are loaded in a few hours and at the same time avoid loss in the commercial value of the coal by overcoming as far as possible the breakage referred to. A machine that, it is claimed, meets these requirements has been constructed and is illustrated herewith. From an engineering standpoint it is a very novel affair, but it has been given sufficient trial in actual service at Ashtabula, Ohio, to demonstrate its practicability. Patents on the machines are controlled by the McMyler Car Dumping Machine Company of

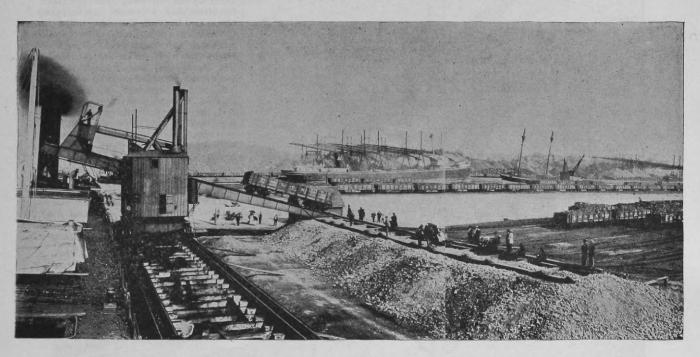


Fig. 1 .- View Showing Car Being Drawn on the Tilting Bridge.

THE MCMYLER MACHINE FOR COALING LAKE STEAMERS.

lized for closets, but so cleverly conceived as not to detract from the artistic beauty of the work. The floor is of hard wood, polished. There are seven roll top desks, and three high desks for cashier, bookkeepers, &c., all made to order and finished in the same quality of oak as elsewhere employed throughout the office. A hand-some private office occupies the southwest corner. The office is well ventilated and lighted with both gas and electric lights, and provided with the Boyntom system of hot water circulation. The entire effect is very rich.

The structure and its arrangements are after Messrs. Ogden & Wallace's own designs, and embody the features that have been found desirable during 36 years of experience. It is safe to say that they could not be improved upon, and that the establishment throughout embodies the most modern conveniences for carrying on their business in an expeditious and economical manner.

A dispatch from Madrid states that a royal decree, issued on August 30, abrogates the customs arrangement of

and the furnace districts of Illinois, Ohio and Pennsylvania, the movement of bituminous coal from Lake Erie ports to the Northwest is the most important item of Lake commerce. For several years past shipments of coal from the Pittsburgh, Hocking Valley and West Virginia districts have averaged about 3,000,000 tons each season. This coal is of a high grade, suitable for fuel and steam purposes and for the manufacture of gas and coke, and shippers have tried various methods of loadit into vessels without damage from breakage.

As far back as 20 years ago attempts were made to handle coal on the lakes by means of shutes, and on the Cleveland docks of what is now the Big Four Railway as much as \$65,000 was expended on a single plant that had to be entirely abandoned soon afterward, on account of damage to the coal in handling it. With the advent of big steel steamers and wooden boats of largely increased capacity, rotary derricks, handling first buckets of ordinary size, and later on buckets of 5 tons' capacity, were introduced into the trade, but even with these the largest vessels

Cleveland, Ohio, a new corporation, and the first of them was built by the Mc-Myler Mfg. Company for Pickands, Mather & Co., who are the Cleveland representatives of the Minnesota Iron Company. Instead of the old system of derricks and buckets, this machine takes up a loaded car of about 23 tons' capacity and dumps its contents into the hold of a vessel in a manner that avoids practically any fall of the coal, as the car is carried loaded to the mouth of hatch and the entire load allowed to slide out in a concentrated mass through an ingeniously arranged shute. Of course, a car of 50 tons' capacity could be handled in the same way and the efficiency of the machine thereby greatly increased. Several records as high as 15 cars of 23 tons each—345 tons—unloaded in one hour, have been made with the apparatus and steamers ranging in capacity from 2000 to 3100 tons have been loaded in 8 to 12 hours.

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The machine is entirely self contained and portable, having the rotable features of a revolving derrick, with the addition of the girder or bridge, by means of which the entire car of coal, instead of a loaded bucket, is taken up

and discharged. All trestle work is avoided and there is nothing complicated or expensive about the apparatus. Aside from the machine itself the only expense is that connected with arrangement of the surface railway tracks. Viewing the machine from a mechanical standpoint, its elements may be described as a bridge of two plate girders turning on trunnions near the river or dock end of the bridge. These trunions are carried on the frame work of the house, which is in turn carried on about 100 12-inch wheels arranged in a circle after the manner of a drawbridge. The circular track on which these wheels move is supported through heavy plate girder frame work by 16 large car wheels moving on four tracks, the outer ones

brake for it. From an accumulator having at one end a hydraulic piston and at the other end a steam piston ten times the area of the hydraulic piston is taken the pressure to operate the clutches for pumping, hoisting and driving laterally, and also the brake controlling the winding drum that pulls the car up the incline

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In operation, the vessels being placed so that the hatches are opposite the tracks, or nearly so, the machine is moved to the hatch which it is desired to load into. The steel cable, size 1½ inches, is hooked into the drawhead of the car, and the car pulled up to the upper or shorter end of the bridge, which is so constructed as to form a bumper, against which the end of the

of loaded cars, or in permitting of trimming the cargo. Through the latter operation a great saving in time is gained, as occasion for shifting a vessel while the work of loading goes on is very rare. Not only can the machine be moved laterally in either direction with a car on the bridge or platform, but it may be swung at the same time to avoid spars or any other obstructions on the vessel. One of the best features of the machine is its adaptability to the kind of railway car in general use in the bituminous coal trade. The only charge required is that of fitting sliding end boards in the cars at a trifling cost. Immediately upon preparation being made for the erection of this first machine at Ashtabula, the management

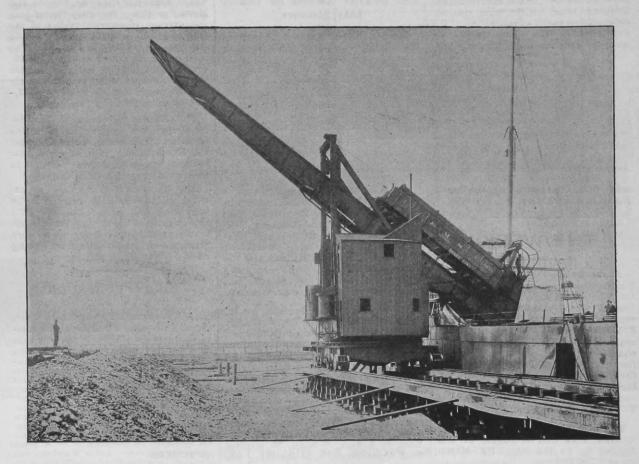


Fig. 2.-View Showing Bridge Tilted to Dump the Car.

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of which are 24 feet apart. Back of the machine and its docks are 16 double lines of railway tracks, shown at the right in Fig. 1, which are for loaded and unloaded cars, and which are spaced about the same as the hatches of vessels and perpendicular to the line of the dock. The power is furnished by a pair of suitable engines, which control the hydraulic power, and all operating parts are controlled by friction clutches, requiring but one operator to handle the entire machine and only four men in all engaged in connection with the plant. The other three are a fireman, a man employed on the bridge and a man to attach the cable to the drawhead of the car.

An hydraulic ram of 18% inches diameter, mounted on trunnions tilts the bridge (to position shown in Fig. 2), which is so balanced that it rights itself, the ram forming an effective

car rests when tilted. The end board being withdrawn automatically through the tilting operation, the coal flows out through a discharging shute and is concentrated in a telescopic trough or spout, which, at the first flow of the coal, may be lowered to within a few feet of the bottom of the vessel, when the work of loading begins at any of the several hatches, or to the surface of the coal itself after the bottom of the vessel is covered. In double decked vessels this shute may be lowered to the between deck combings. After the load is discharged the bridge is tilted back, the cable on the end board detached, the car allowed to run down and off the incline on to the track provided for "empties," a loaded car again taken up, and so the operation continues, the machine moving from one set of tracks to another, and from one hatch to another, as may be required by supplies

of the Lake Shore and Pittsburgh & Lake Eric Railways, the two coal lines running into that port, caused 1000 cars to be fitted with sliding end boards, and work has been started on 1000 more of the same kind.

The capacity of the surface track plant, shown in Fig. 1, and from which cars are moved on to the platform of the machine by a locomotive constantly in attendance, is 140 cars, or about 3300 tons. Of course the number of sets of surface tracks for loaded and unloaded cars depends entirely upon the number of cars it is desired the plant shall handle, and as the entire transferring apparatus is arranged to move along a dock line it can therefore be made to accommodate any desired number of tracks and length of dock.

The work done by the machine during the few weeks that it has been in actual service is shown by the following table, in the consideration of which, especially as regards the first cargoes loaded, allowance must be made for the

few exceptions, the sugar works not only yield no profits, but do not meet expenses, including interest.

Date.		Vessel.	Tons loaded.	Time l	oading.
		·	Tons.	Hours	Minutes.
June 27	Steemer	"Maruba"	1.145	8	45
29	Steamer	Wilmo	1,319	8	45
July 2		"Yuma" "Iosco"	2.180	13	45
ania &	**	"Metoe "	1.238	5	อีบ
. 6		"Matoa" "M. M. Drake"	1,535	13	30
" 7		Monriend	537	8	-
		"Maryland""R. J. Hackett"	1.091	ıĭ	45
" 16 " 17		M. J. Hackett	2,195	12	30
		"Choctaw": "Kearsarge": "Maryland": "Allegheney":	3.088	21	45
10		Kearsarge	2.846	16	30
20	"	Maryland "		6	20
. 26	Schooner	"Allegheney"	1.062		
27	Steamer	"Pontiac"	2,466	11	45
29		"Maritana"	2,497	10	30
" 31		"Kearsarge"	8,283	16	15
August 1	• •	"Choctaw "	2,228	8	15
2	**	" Pease"	780	8	30
" ã	44	"Manola"	1,421	5	30
" š	66	"Matoa "	2,511	10	
" Ÿ	**	"Matoa". "J. C. Gilchrist"	1,988	9	45
8	44	"Viima"	$\bar{3},259$	12	
" 🦂		"Yuma"" "Manhattan"	1,858	8	45
" 10		"Wadena"	1.794	10	15
. 10		"Kearsarge"	3,226	12	10
11	**.	Kearsarge	2,573	19	45
19.		"Manola"	1,789	l #	30
. 14		"W. H. Gratwick"" "John Mitchell"	2,187	á	30
·· 1 5		"John Mitchell "	2,101	9	δU
,		Totals	52,096	271	50
			2,120	8	• 30
August 21	"	"Manchester"		2	* 30
·" 21	66	"Neshoto"	1,854	10	20
" 22		"Neshoto"	3,724	13	20
		Totals	7,698	28	50
		Grand totals	59,794	300	40

usual difficulties attending the handling of new machinery.

THE WEEK.

As illustrating the present excessive freight rates for goods exported to Central and South America a Pittsburgh journal records that a narrow gauge locomotive, bought at that city for \$3575, was recently delivered at Samaca, Colombia, for \$3595, with \$10,904 charges against it. The iron work for four cars, costing \$494.48, reached their destination with a bill of \$1610. A turbine wheel worth \$708 cost when carried within 150 miles of Samaca \$3760.

The anthracite coal sales agents met in New York City on August 29 and decided to fix the output for September at 2,500,000 tons. No action as to prices was taken.

It is stated that arrangements have been made to ship 100,000 tons of bituminous coal this fall to Brazil from Philadelphia.

The Swiss Federal Council has approved the scheme for a Jura-Simplon railway tunnel through the Simplon, to cost \$10,900,000. The plan is to be submitted for the approval of the Italian Government.

During the first six months after the opening of the New Corinth Canal the receipts little more than balanced the expenditure.

In a report sent to the State Department by United States Consul-General Williams, at Havana, that official states that no previous period in the history of the Cuban sugar industry has been so disastrous as that beginning in August, 1893. The planters suffered heavy losses, although the quantity of sugar produced was the largest recorded on the island. A general report on the industry, which is to be laid before the Spanish Cortes at the next session, calls for remedial legislation. It asserts that, with very

The railroad journals state that steps are being taken for a close traffic alliance between the Big Four, the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Southern Railway Company. It is also said that arrangements are being conducted whereby the Southern Railway and the Chesapeake & Ohio will eventually agree to stop the cutting of rates and will reduce expenses at common points.

Transatlantic record breaking has set in with great severity. Two weeks ago the Cunard steamship "Campania" broke the westward record by three hours, and on her eastward voyage last week the same vessel accomplished the passage from Sandy Hook to Queenstown in 1 hour 13 minutes less than the previous best time—her own—making the eastward record 5 days, 12 hours, 7 minutes. On Friday last her sister vessel, the "Lucania," arrived in New York in 5 days, 8 hours, 35 minutes from Queenstown, thus snatching the westward record from the "Campania" and making another step toward the predicted five days' voyage.

Andrew Carnegie has an article in the September Contemporary Review on labor in America, in which he says that the workingman can live for less in the United States if he chooses than in Great Britain, provided that he will live as frugally. A pound expended judiciously here would, he thinks, afford the workingman's family more comfort than would the same amount spent in England. Consequently Mr. Carnegie concludes that the argument that wages must be higher in America is fallacious.

At San Antonia, Texas, a company have been organized with a capital of \$1,000,000, under the name of the Rio Grande Valley Canal & Irrigation Company, to establish a system of irrigating canals in the lower border counties of Texas. Several hundred thousand acres of arid lands are to be brought into cultivation, the water being drawn from the Rio Grande.

Forest fires, caused by the heat and drought, have devastated large tracts in

Northern Michigan and Wisconsin. The losses to the lumbermen aggregate many millions of dollars. Several towns and villages have been completely wiped out, and much suffering is felt by the people.

English capitalists are said to have bought large tracts of coal lands in Southern Colorado, which are to be developed immediately.

Heavy rains have damaged Alabama's cotton crop 20 to 25 per cent.

The report of the secretary of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, on the cotton crop for 1893-94, places the total yield at 7,549,879 bales, an increase of 849,452 bales over that of last season. The largest part of the gain was in Alabama, Georgia, Florida and North Carolina. Secretary Hester puts the average commercial value of the crop at \$37.50 per bale, against \$42.50 last year and \$37.50 in 1891-92. The total value he places at \$283,118,000, against \$284,150,000 last year, so that while the output of last year was nearly \$50,000 bales less its value was \$1,-032,000 more than this year's crop.

The Russian Government has decided upon the construction of a line of railway from Samarcand to Khokand via. Khodschend. It is expected that the line will give a great impetus to the cotton trade of Asiatic Russia.

The war news from the East is puzzling. Both sides claim victories at the same time and place; but it would appear that the fighting, so far, has not been very extensive. Energetic military preparations, meanwhile, are being made by both China and Japan.

Trade Publications.

ED. WERTHEIM, 207 and 209 Lake street, Chicago, has issued a most interesting catalogue of asbestos products under the title of "German Asbestos Goods." Those who made a careful study of the exhibits at the recent. World's Fair in Chicago will remember a very fine display of asbestos goods in the German section of Machinery Hall by Louis Wertheim of Frankfort-on-Main. This was the most complete collection of raw and manufactured asbestos ever made, showing not only the remarkable character of this mineral, but admirable ingenuity in adapting it to a great variety of purposes. Louis Wertheim was a pioneer in this line of manufacturing industries, beginning the mining of asbestos in Italy in 1867, and now controlling mines in that country and in Canada, whence he obtains the raw material for his factory at Frankfort. Ed. Wertheim is the son of Louis and is now in charge of the American agency which has been established in Chicago. The catalogue comprises 75 pages, neatly printed and illustrated and handsomely bound. It sets forth full details concerning the manufacture of asbestos and treats comprehensively of the products made, such as piston packing, gum core packing, millboard, gaskets, sheeting, tape packing, pipe and boiler covering, belting, rope, building paper, devices for chemists' use, electrical supplies, &c.

THE AMERICAN TUBE WORKS of Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, have issued a book giving the weights, sizes, &c., of their seamless drawn brass and copper tubes and pipe.

The London Iron and Steel Trades Journal contains the following item: "Some important news reaches us from Russia. It is nothing less than that an American syndicate, in which the well-known Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia are said to be interested, is about to establish works on the River Volga for the production of steel rails and locomotives."



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The Pig Iron Situation at Chicago

In no part of the country have the developments in the foundry pig iron trade been more interesting during the current year than at Chicago. This arises from the fact that Southern pig iron makers have had their hold on that market seriously shaken, if not permanently weakened. Time only can determine whether the conditions which are now established shall continue, but the local producers are very confident that the revolution which has been effected will not go backward. They have for years claimed that whenever a supreme struggle would be made for the control of the Northwestern foundry trade their Southern competitors would be obliged to retire from the field. The struggle was postponed by the long continued heavy local demand for pig iron for the production of steel rails and other steel products. It was often necessary to withdraw all the local furnaces entirely from the foundry trade to keep the steel works supplied. Under such circumstances foundry pig iron was not a prominent product of the Chicago group of furnaces, and although the output grewits growth was spasmodic, while the local trade in Southern pig iron flourished and many foundries made it the chief part of their mixture. The Southern furnace companies managed their affairs well, reducing cost and lowering prices from time to time in order to maintain their hold on the expanding foundry trade of the Northwest.

At the beginning of the present year there was an advantage of from 75 cents to \$1 per ton in favor of the Southern iron maker in the Chicago market. Prices of local iron had been reduced lower than anybody in the trade had deemed they were likely to go, and yet Southern iron was delivered to consumers at a still lower rate. The superb manner in which Southern furnace men met the necessities of the times and conquered costs extorted admiration from their Northern rivals, who had long before thought that the bottom limit of Southern costs had certainly been touched. But the stagnation in the steel rail trade and the diminished demand for other finished products compelled the Northern furnaces to look more carefully after their business in foundry iron, and they grasped the opportunity afforded by the greatly reduced prices of ore and coke. In February the margin between Northern and Southern iron in the Chicago market was consider-

ably narrowed, and in March it was completely wiped out. In April the Southern railroad lines came to the relief of the Southern companies by reducing freight rates to a figure much lower than anything previously known. But it was of no avail, as the Northern furnaces made prices to correspond. In April, May and June, the contest was fought out and the Northern makers won, taking every large contract that came in sight at prices which Southern furnace companies were totally unable to meet. At this time the Southern makers were badly handicapped by the strike of their coal miners. The Northern furnaces suffered to some extent by the strike among the Connellsville coke workers, but it had no effect on their prices, which were forced even lower than necessary by competition for business between the local iron producers. Thus a very low level was maintained in June, July and August, notwithstanding an appreciation in Southern prices by the partial restoration of freight rates and the reduction in the number of active furnaces. How greatly the consumers of pig iron in the Northwest have been benefited by this aggressiveness of the Chicago producers is indicated in the table below, in which the course of quotations is given in several of the leading markets of the country from month to month. The quotations on Chicago local iron, it must be said, do not show the lowest figures made on large contracts, but those given for Southern iron at Chicago are extremely close to actual prices made on any quantity. No. 2 foundry pig iron is taken as the basis of comparison, because that grade of iron is in the largest demand in the Western foundry trade.

to make such a mixture to secure best results. They say further that if this is really the case, a good market for Northern iron should be found along the Ohio River and south of it, where there are numbers of foundrymen who presumably are as anxious to make good castings as their brethren in the vicinity of Chicago. It is a poor rule that won't work both Without disparagement to ways. either party in this contest over the control of an important market, it is our opinion that price is the most important factor in determining the use of various kinds of pig iron when all are of recognized good quality. The foundrymen of the present day are not wedded firmly to special brands, as was the case not many years since, but speedily transfer their affections to other irons which can be had at a cheaper rate.

Probably the most important feature of this interesting matter has been reserved for treatment last. On reference to the table of quotations it will be seen that Chicago is the cheapest market for foundry iron in the large consuming centers north of the immediate vicinity of the Ohio River. If No. 2 foundry iron has really been sold at \$9 per ton, as stated by some members of the trade, Chicago foundrymen are enjoying greater advantages in cheap raw material than even their colleagues on the Ohio River. This is a remarkable change in the condition of Chicago as an iron center. Only a few years since the price of iron in the metropolis of the West was the price at some producing point East or South with freight added. In cutting loose from such influences and establishing an independent basis of prices, the Chicago iron makers have laid a

Quotations of No. 2 Foundry.

1894.	Philadelphia.	Pittsburgh.	Cincinnati.	—Chica Southern.	•
January February March April May June July August	10.75 @ 11.25 10.75 @ 11.00	\$11.25 10.75 10.50 10.25 10.25 @ 10.50 10.75 10.75 10.75	\$10.75 10.25 @ 10.50 9.75 @ 10.00 9.25 9.25 9.25 @ 9.50 9.50 9.75	\$11.75 11.50 11.25 10.25 10.00 10.25 10.50 10.75	\$12 50 11.75 11.25 10.50 10.50 10.00 10.00

The sellers of Southern pig iron, however, have not given up the contest in the Chicago market, but are making a strong effort to hold at least a part of their trade. This will be seen from the following statement extracted from a recent circular issued by a very prominent house:

It is a fact that Southern irons cannot be dropped advantageously as repeated experiments have shown that maximum strength cannot be obtained where Northern iron is used alone. Large consumers who have experimented thoroughly have found that the best results have been obtained from using both Northern and Southern irons together.

The accuracy of such experiments is challenged by the local pig iron makers, who claim that their customers are finding that it is unnecessary new foundation for the great industries of that city and vicinity which will be of enormous advantage in future trade movements.

It would hardly be expected that any complaints of scarcity of scrap would be heard at this time. Accumulations of all kinds of old material were but recently understood to be immense. And yet Western rolling mills are encountering a decided shortage in certain kinds. They are offered an abundance of high grade wrought scrap, but the supply of busheling or boiling scrap has been exhausted. Borings and turnings are largely used for this purpose. These are produced by machine shops, general factories, railroad shops, &c., which have been running light for the

past year and therefore have made but little scrap. Mills making bar iron from half wrought scrap and half muck or scrap bar are in a quandary. The price of bar iron is so low that it will not pay to purchase pig iron and puddle it. If this proves to be absolutely necessary, the price of bar iron will be advanced to correspond. But this shortage is expected to be only temporary, as factories and shops are getting into operation more generally and the supply of small scrap will increase.

Calcined Lime in the Blast Furnace.

The principal paper read at the Brussels meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute was that of Sir Lowthian Bell, in which he dealt in his well-known method with the question of the advantages obtainable by the use of calcined limestone as a flux in the blast furnace in the place of raw stone. As usual his calculations are very elaborate, but the data submitted seem hardly to justify the conclusions drawn from them. The records cover the work of two furnaces 80 feet high, with a capacity of 60,000 cubic feet. Both furnaces were run for 19 weeks on raw limestone, and 17 weeks on calcined stone, and finally they were operated contemporaneously for 13 weeks, one on raw and the other on calcined stone. In a condensed form the results were as follows:

No. 11	Furnace.
umution.	Raw.
er ton pig	hundred- 21.82

Coke consumption, hundred-	
weight per ton pig 21.82	20.14
Flux hundredweight per ton	
pig11.76	8.57
Calcined ironstone, hundred-	47.40
weight per ton pig47.22	481
Product, tons per week 451	
Average grade, tons per week 3.3	3.3
No. 12 Furnace.	

20.09 8 62

47.34 497 3.3

No. 11 Raw. No. 12 Calcined. 19.76 8.51 47.47 536 3.5

These figures show that the fuel consumption in the furnace was reduced 1.87 units on an average, or 8.55 per cent. Sir Lowthian Bell states that as against this saving there is the coal used for calcining the limestone, which was 8.33 per ton of iron, so that "as a matter of commercial difference there is not much to choose between the coke in the furnace and coal in the kiln." He does not appear to attach any importance to the increase in make, since he does not even refer to that feature. We imagine that American furnacemen would show more interest in it.

However, the weak point in the whole work done, and which seems to vitiate it entirely, is that pointed out by Charles Cochrane, the well-known furnace manager, in a written contri-

bution to the discussion. What Sir Lowthian Bell calls "caustic lime' used in the experiments seems very far removed from what would ordinarily be so termed. He prints a number of analyses which, so far as we understand the text, refer to the carbonic acid contents of the calcined stone used in this series of experiments. These analyses show that there remained in the "caustic lime" from 28.66 to 35.45 per cent. of carbonic acid. Since pure lime contains 44 per cent., the calcining does not appear to have been very good, to say the least. Sir Lowthian Bell has not replied as yet to this point of Charles Cochrane's criticism of his paper. Unless an adequate explanation is offered, blast furnacemen will throw out the whole series of experiments as practically valueless.

The First National Bank of Chicago, which is one of the great financial institutions of America, recently sent out a circular letter to its corespondents in Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and the Dakotas, asking for correct information on crop prospects. This investigation was undertaken on account of the conflicting reports in circulation on the extent of the damage done by drought and hot winds in those States. The correspondents are country bankers, who are an exceptionally intelligent class of men. Their reports show that there has been a total failure of crops in Western Kansas and Nebraska only, but that Eastern Kansas and Nebraska and the Dakotas are in fair shape, while Iowa is in good condition in consideration of the very gloomy prospects which have been portrayed by some of the crop reporting agencies. Crop reports of late years have become generally discredited, as they have been shown to persistently understate the yield. If they do so in good years, they are likely to err much more flagrantly in the same direction with such a good basis as a very hot, dry season. Independent investigations of the character instituted by the Chicago bank seem to be almost necessary by large commercial houses, whose successful management depends upon correct information of the condition of important sections of the country.

H. E. Collins & Co., Pittsburgh, general sales agents in the United States for the sale of the Cahall water tube boilers, made by the Aultman & Taylor Machinery Company, Mansfield, Ohio, have closed a contract for 525 horsepower of this type of boiler to be placed in the new steel plant now under erection by the St. Louis Stamping Company, St. Louis, Mo.

Rogers, Brown & Co., the well-known pig iron merchants, advise us that quite a number of instances have been reported to them lately of a young man traveling through Michigan claiming to be connected with the Buffalo office of the firm. He states that he is short of funds and wishes to borrow enough to pay his way home. Rogers, Brown & Co. pronounce this person a fraud.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Magnetic Concentration at Ogden.

To the Editor: An item in the current number of The Iron Age, for August 30, 1894, p. 346, refers to the contemplated early resumption of opera-tions at Thomas A. Edison's magnetic ore concentrating works at Ogden, N. J. The article in question contains certain data relating to the efficiency which it is expected will be realized in the concentration of the improved plant the operation of the improved plant, now, and for a long time past, under construction at that place, and, in view of the general interest among mine owners in magnetic ore concentration and the important relation which it undoubtedly bears to the future prog-ress of iron and steel manufacture in the Eastern States, the publicity thus given to these data renders them a proper subject of inquiry and criticism.

It is stated that plans are laid out to mine 5000 tons per day of crude ore carrying 27 per cent. of iron from which it is expected to obtain a product of 1700 tons of briquetted concentrates, and the tailings are to be brought down to 1 per cent. iron. It is not stated what percentage of the briquetted product is to consist of cementing material nor to what per cent. iron the concentrates are to be raised, and this omission is to be regretted, since in-formation upon these points would possess considerable interest to mine owners who are now anxiously looking about for means to improve the quality of and more economically produce and prepare their ores for the market. From well known facts, however, respecting the mineralization of the Ogden ore, it may be assumed that the concentrates must carry at least 65 per cent. iron to fall within the Bessemer classification; and, as the relative weight of rosin used in briquetting the ore would be small, although adding to the apparent effi-ciency of the method of concentration, it may be passed over so far as it may have a bearing upon the statement of the quantity of concentrates which may be produced from a given quantity of the Ogden ore; moreover, as the rosin would possess a certain fuel value its presence, at present prices for ore as compared with coke and coal, would hardly be objected to by the furnace manager, although, from the standpoint of the mine owner, it might, for that very reason, be desirable to dispense with its use in this connection. The apparent necessity for its use at Ogden seems to be an incident of the extremely fine pulverization to which Mr. Edison resorts in the preparation of his ore for concentration.

A casual consideration of the data given discloses certain irreconcilable conditions which are of such importance as to deserve a little more careful scrutiny. The statement that 5000 tons of crude ore, carrying 27 per cent iron, are expected to produce 1700 tons of concentrates, with 1 per cent. iron in the tailings, suggests three different conclusions.

1. If no more than 1700 tons of concentrates of 65 per cent. grade can be made from 5000 tons of crude then it

will require $\frac{5000}{1700} = 2.94$ tons to make

1 ton of concentrate and 1.94 tons of tailings, and from this we obtain the equation $\frac{1.94 \times 1 + 65}{2.94} = 22.77$ per 2.94

cent. iron in the crude, instead of 27

per cent., which would indicate an inaccurate estimate of the average per cent. iron contained in the crude ore,

or a neglected loss.

2. As an alternative, it may be assumed that the average per cent. iron in the crude has been definitely ascertained and correctly stated, as well as the prospective loss in tailings (27 per cent. in the crude and 1 per cent. in tailings), and the concentrates are to be of 65 per cent. grade, we then obtain the equation $\frac{65-1}{27-1}=2.46$ tons of

crude to make 1 ton of concentrate, and $\frac{6000}{2.40} = 2.032$ tons of concentrates from 5000 tons of crude, but this theoretically possible result seems to be beyond Mr. Edison's expectations, which is to be regretted, since the difference in value of the daily product of the mine, as between 1700 and 2032 tons of concentrates—382 tons at, say, \$2.75 per ton—would amount to the

comfortable sum of \$913.

3. There remains, however, still another view of the matter. Assuming that the crude contains an average of 27 per cent. iron, as stated, and 1700 tons of 65 per cent. concentrate will be made from 5000 tons of crude (2.94 tons of crude to make 1 ton of concentrate and 1.94 tons of tailings), we then have the equation $\frac{2.94 \times 27 - 65}{1.94} = 7.41$ 1.94

per cent. iron in the tailings—the actual commercial efficiency of the operation, according to this application of

given data, being $\frac{65}{2.94 \times 27} = 72.72$ per cent. of the iron in crude saved in concentrate, and 27.28 per cent. lost in tailings. This would indicate an inefficient method or means of concentration, which ought to be corrected and this waste turned to account of profit, as pointed out under our second headthe question of the practical success or failure of the enterprise being, very likely, involved in the considerations here pointed out.

CONCENTRATION.

PERSONAL.

Frank B. Knight, assistant engineer of the Lidgerwood Mfg. Company, New York, now represents the cableway interests of the company at Chicago. He will be located in the Old Colony Build-

D. N. Barker has been appointed to succeed the late Joseph M. Larimer as manager of the Chicago branch of Jones & Lughlins, Limited. Mr. Barker will need no introduction to the patrons of the house, having been connected with it for many years in a position of responsibility. sponsibility.

Thos. M. Eynon of the Eynon Evans Mfg. Company, Philadelphia; James C. Brooks of the Southwark Foundry & Machine Company, Philadelphia, and Professor Houston, late of the Thomson-Houston Electric Company, have been appointed a civil service board of examiners of elevators for Philadelphia.

Kennerley Bryan has severed his connection as engineer with Otis Brothers & Co. of New York, and has become associated with the Buffalo Engineering Company of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Bryan is retained by Winslow Bros. Elevator Company of Chicago as consulting engineer.

Among the Americans present at the Belgian meeting of the Iron and Steel

Institute were Dr. Hill Howe of Boston, Julian Kennedy, W. McConway, G. W. McMurtry of Pittsburgh and C. H. Morgan of the Morgan Construction Company, Worcester, Mass., and S. T. Wellman of Thurlow, Pa.

O. M. Hartzell of Pittsburgh returned last week from a six weeks' visit to Europe.

Washington News.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 4, 1894. The Midvale Plate.

The preliminary report on the test of the cast steel plate, unwrought, pre-sented by the Midvale Steel Company for trial at Sandy Hook, which took place last Friday, has been received and makes a decidedly unfavorable showing. The plate was 10½ inches thick, and was fired at by an 8 inch gun with an armor

piercing shell.

The programme was arranged for three shots. The first shot, with a velocity of 1552 foot-seconds, made three large cracks and penetrated the backing. The second shot went through without impairing the projectile and practically destroyed the plate. The third shot was not fired. This plate was specially treated without chrome in it. The Midvale Company now propose to try a plate worked under the rolls or hammer in order to see what effect that treatment will have in the direction of securing hardness and toughness by simpler processes than those now in vogue.

Tests of New Guns.

The Crozier wire wound gun, man-ufactured at the Watervliet Arsenal, is being tested from a Buffington-Crozier 10 inch disappearing carriage as a test of both gun and carriage. The shots of both gun and carriage. already fired have been quite satisfactory. The Brown segmental gun, disabled in the course of firing, is being dismantled with a view to improve-ments gained by experience. The tests of pneumatic and dynamite guns and projectiles which have been going on for some time at Sandy Hook are progressing favorably. At the ordnance office it is said that the contract test has been fulfilled apparently, although other tests will be made in order to be sure of the results before reaching a decision. The stipulations require that the 8-inch gun must be capable of projecting shell charged with 100 pounds of the ex plosive to all ranges from 100 to 2600 yards, and shell charged with 50 pounds of the explosive to all ranges from 100 yards to 3200 yards.

Each 15-inch gun of 40 calibers' length of bore must be capable of projecting shell to the following ranges:

100 to 2000 yards, a shell containing 500 pounds of the explosive.
100 to 3550 yards, a shell containing 200 pounds of the explosive.
100 to 4500 yards, a shell containing 100 pounds of the explosive.
100 to 5500 yards, a shell containing 50 pounds of the explosive.

If the 15 inch guns should not attain the extreme ranges stated, forfeitures were to be imposed for each yard of

provided that the limit of deficiency should not exceed 10 per cent. of the stated ranges. Seventy-five per cent. of the charged shell fired for explosion cn impact were required to show a satisfac-

tory action of the impact fuses, and at least 75 per cent. of such shells fired into water were required to show a satisfactory action of the immersion fuse adjusted for either the time or depth of immersion. In the matter of time to load and fire one shell, containing 500 pounds of the explosive or dummy projectile of equal weight, was not to exceed 3 minutes, ten consecutive rounds in 40 minutes.

A shell containing 200 pounds of the explosive, &c., as above, one in 2 minutes and ten in 27 minutes. For minutes and ten in 27 minutes. For smaller charges, one in 13 minutes and ten rounds in 20 minutes. The improvements in fuses have greatly facilitated the tests. By a mechanical action it is arranged to work regardless of the position of the shell at impact. The arrangement is simple and effective. The 15 inch depends on the same terms are the same terms. ive. The 15-inch dynamite guns have been found more serviceable for all-around use than the smaller 8 inch. The time required for discharging 20 consecutive rounds with the heaviest charges from any single gun it is re-quired must not exceed 1 hour 20 minutes, and 30 consecutive rounds not to exceed 2 hours and 10 minutes.

The officers here are evidently of the opinion that with improvements suggested by practical tests the utility of this gun and projectile in the uses of actual war will be fully established and will add a most destructive agent for sea coast defense, if not in operations afloat.

The Bridge for the Hudson River.

The report of the New York and New Jersey Bridge Commission, appointed by the President to consider plans for bridging the Hudson River at New York, has been presented to the Secretary of War. The commission is composed of the following members: composed of the following members:
Major C. W. Raymond of the Corps of
United States Engineers, Theodore
Cooper of New York, Prof. W. H.
Burr of Columbia College, George S.
Morrison of Chicago and G. Bouscaren
of Circumsti of Cincinnati. The questions to be considered by the board were to "recommend what length of span, not less than 2000 feet, would be safe and practicable for a railroad bridge to be constructed " over the Hudson.

The report states that with a span of 2000 feet the west pier would be located about 1000 feet from the New Jersey pier headline. If this span should be increased the injury done to the harbor by obstructing the approach to piers on the New Jersey shore would be greater than any benefit gained by the increased width of the channel span. Since there would be no benefit derived from a span greater than 2000 feet unless it reached from pier to pier, the examination is confined to spans of 2000 feet in the clear and 3100 feet in the The bridge must be provided with six tracks. As the river cannot be kept unobstructed during erection the plans are limited to two types—cantilever and suspension. The board are of the unanimous opinion that a cantilever span of 3100 feet in the clear could be built and would be a safe structure, but the practicability of such a structure would depend upon its cost.

The east pier of the 2000-feet span would rest on rock at 125 feet below mean high water. The west pier would reach rock at 260 feet, or 100 feet deeper than any foundation which has ever been put in. The east pier would . ;*,

consist of four cylinders, each containing 866,000 cubic feet, and costing \$346,400. Each of the four cylinders of the river pier would contain 1,880,000 cubic feet, of which 1,014,000 would be more than 125 feet below water; the cost of the four would be \$9,710,000. The east anchorage would be on rock about 20 feet below water, The east anchorage would and the west pier would be on rock 125 feet below water. The east anchorage would cost \$431,000 and the west anchorage \$1,038,000, making the total cost \$14,431,000. The weight of the superstructure is 230,000,000 pounds and the total length 4120 feet.

The piers of the 3100-feet cantilever span would be at about the same depth, or 125 feet. The cost of this bridge would be for the east anchorage \$431,-000, east pier \$8,660,000, west pier \$8,660,000, and west anchorage \$527, 000. The superstructure weight would be 730,000,000 pounds. The total cost of this bridge is estimated at \$51,128,-000, and of the 2000-feet span \$25,443,-000.

The report then very fully discusses the suspension type as a railroad bridge. The towers for this bridge would be located at the pier head lines, in practically the same position as the towers of the larger cantilever. The towers would be of steel, 570 feet high from the top of the masonry to the saddles or 620 feet from the surface of the water. The masonry anchorages would be about 1000 feet back of the towers. The cables would be of No. 3 wire having a guaranteed strength of 180,000 pounds per square inch. The estimate is made on a versed sine of 400 feet or one sighth the same. one-eighth the span. In the Brooklyn Bridge it is less than one-twelfth the span. The two stiffening trusses would be riveted lattice girders 120 feet deep and placed 100 feet between centers. The floor beams are hung from the suspenders and carry the stiffening truss. The total weight of the suspended superstructure per lineal foot may be taken as follows:

	ounds.
Four chords, at 4037.5 pounds	 16,150
Two webs, at 3569 pounds	 7,018
Laterals	 1,650
Cross frames and hangers	 1,920
Floor beams	 3,000
Stringers	 1,800
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Total steel per lineal foot.... 31,538

This amounts to 100,921,600 pounds for the 3200 feet of span. If to this we add 2400 pounds' weight of the ties and rails and 18,000 pounds for moving load, we have as the total weight carried by the suspenders 51,938 pounds, or 26 tons per lineal foot.

The cables weigh 14,792 pounds per lineal foot, and as the total weight to be carried by them may be taken as 63,100 pounds per lineal foot, we have a total weight for the span of 217,920 pounds. There will be 12 cables, each being composed of 6000 No. 3 wires. The total length of each cable will be 5609 feet. The weight transferred to each tower by the cables is 218,000 pounds. Each tower will weigh 38,-023,000 pounds.

The cost of 206,668,600 pounds of structural steel at 41 cents per pound would be \$9,300,087. The cables and suspenders at 8 cents per pound would be \$6,736,624. The total cost of the substructure would be: East anchorage, \$3,090,000; base for east tower, \$4,-\$572,000; for west tower, \$5,003,480; west anchorage, \$4,815,000 = total, \$17,480,960. The total cost will be as follows: Superstructure, \$16,036,711; substructure, \$17,480,960; total, \$33,517,671. Viaduct, \$1,850,000. Grand total, \$35,367,671.

MANUFACTURING.

Iron and Steel.

The Colorado Fuel & Iron Company are doing good work at Pueblo with their pair of 5-ton converters. On August 16 they turned out 315 tons of steel ingots in 24 hours, surpassing the record for any previous day in that plant.

The plant of the Williams Rolling Mill Company, at Muscatine, Iowa, which has been operated during the past 60 days by a receiver, closed September 1 for an indefinite period.

The Irondale Steel & Iron Company of The Irondale Steel & Iron Company of Middletown, Ind., started their new rolling mill on the 31st ult. They will manufacture tin plate, beginning with the steel billet. The starting of the plant was made the occasion of much rejoicing among the manufacturers and other citizens of Indiana, who gathered at the works.

The blast furnace of the Thomas Furnace

The blast furnace of the Thomas Furnace Company, Niles, Ohio, which has been idle for several months, resumed operations on August 25. This furnace is one of the best equipped in the Mahoning Valley and is 17 x 76 feet in size and has a capacity of about 250 tons of iron per day.

As already announced in these columns the Youngstown Iron & Steel Roofing Company. Youngstown, Ohio, have been organized as a stock company under the laws of the State of Ohio, with the following officials: L. E. Cochran, president; G. M. Mc-Kelvey, vice-president; C. S. Pew, secretary; Mason Evans, treasurer, and John O. Pew, general manager. The new concern have now under construction suitable buildings for the manufacture of a full line of have now under construction suitable buildings for the manufacture of a full line of metal roofing of all kinds and styles, metal siding and ceiling and when completed it will be one of the best equipped works of the kind in the country. The new plant is so located that there will be direct connection with four of the main trunk lines running East and West, these being Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio. Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio. It is proposed to manufacture the John O. Pew patent standing seam steel and iron roofing, the fastener used being one for which a patent was recently granted to John O. Pew and for which many points of excellence are claimed.

The Edgar Thomson Steel Works, Besse-

The Edgar Thomson Steel Works, Bessemer, Pa., have been running on rails for several weeks, but have again changed off, and are now filling a large order for blooms for the Johnson Company, Johnstown, Pa.

The blast furnace of the Valentine Iron Company, Bellefonte, Pa., started up last

Hitchcock Iron Company, Hubbard, Ohio, resumed operations last week.

resumed operations last week.

The National Foundry & Pipe Works, Limited, Scottdale, Fa., manufacturers of cast iron pipe, have recently purchased the plant of the Charlotte Furnace Company, Limited, together with about 52 acres of ground adjoining the property. Included in the purchase is a 25-foot vein of limestone located in Bullskin Township, Fayette County, which was leased by the Charlotte Furnace Company, Limited. The purchasers have not fully decided as yet what disposition they will make of their recently acquired property, but are open for negotiations to lease the plant, they guaranteeing a cash market for the greater part of, if not its whole output.

Eagle Furnace, at Spring Valley, Wis.,

Eagle Furnace, at Spring Valley, Wis., which banked July 3, was blown in August 14, under the management of H. E. Burt, formerly manager of the York Iron Com-

Hamilton Furnace of Means, Kyle & Co., Hanging Rock, Ohio, is ready for blast, but may not resume operation for several weeks yet.

No. 2 furnace of the E. & G. Brooke Iron Company, Birdsboro, Pa., is being re-lined and repaired, and is expected to re-sume blast at an early date.

The output of the rail mill of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, Steelton, Pa., for the month of August is said to have been the heaviest for any one month since November, 1890.

The Philadelphia Ledger has the following from Chester, Pa.: A hearing in the Wellman case was held in the office of W. B. Broomall, receiver, before Master Orlando Harvey, which was attended indo Harvey, which was attended William Burnham, representing the Baldwin Locomotive Works; John Miley of A. & J. Miley of the Lebanon Iron Works; John S. Patterson, Philadelphia; J. Tatnall Lea, Philadelphia; Richard C. McCullough of the Westmoreland Coal Company, David E. Williams & Co., Philadelphia; Hon. William Ward, representing the Pennsylvania Railroad and allied lines. C. M. Reyder appeared representing a citizens' committee of South Chester in the interest of a sale. A statement was made by Mr. McCullough, as president of a committee of creditors, and a petition was presented by him, signed by \$328,000 out of the \$457,000 of unsecured claims, protesting against the sale of the big iron and steel plant. It was a consensus of opinion of all present, including the bondholders and stockholders and unsecured creditors, that the plant ought not to be sold until after January 1, 1895, and with that purpose in view a petition will be presented to the court September 17, asking that a decree of sale shall not be made at this time, and that the receiver shall pay the interest due on the bonds in order to prevent a foreclosure. It appeared at this hearing that there had been over \$1,700,000 spent on the plant, and that if a sale was deferred until business revived it would bring \$1,000,000, whereas if sold now at forced sale it would bring nothing above the bonds, which amount to \$583,000. In this event creditors will only be paid 12½ per cent. All present desired that Receiver Broomall should continue in the management of the works until they shall be sold.

The Co-operative Rolling Mill Company, which was organized several months ago

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The Co-operative Rolling Mill Company, which was organized several months ago to operate the idle mill, at Hubbard, Ohio, have declared their first dividend. The amount is 1 per cent. All the employees of the mill, except the bookkeeper, have left 50 per cent. of their earnings in the general found of the institution since it was started. fund of the institution since it was started, and they are not at all satisfied, it is stated, with the amount received.

Muirkirk Furnace, at Muirkirk, Md., a 86 x 8½ inch charcoal stack, owned by Charles E. Coffin, went out of blast August

Alice furnaces of the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company, at Birmingham, Ala., have been cleaned out preparatory to an early resumption.

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The Western Nail Works, operated by the Valley Steel Company, Belleville, Ill., have resumed work after a stoppage of eight days, the disagreement on the wage scale having been amicably adjusted. The new wage scale for the Waugh Steel Works has also been adjusted, and the establishment will soon be put in operation.

The South Bessemer Works of the Lackawanna Iron & Steel Company made for week ending September 1, 18 4, running 11 turns of 12 hours each, 6009.8 tons of ingots. The weight of the heats in the converters averaged a little over 9 tons. This is the banner week for this plant. The management modestly adds that it "may be considered fair work for hot weather."

The appraisers of the Maumee Rolling Mill property, at Toledo, Ohio, have completed their work and place the value at \$135,000, of which \$65,000 represents the mill itself. The appraisers were L. S. Baumgardner, J. W. Dale and Frank Losee. The property, it will be remembered, is in a receiver's hands and will be sold this month.

Belfont Furnace, at Ironton, Ohio, blew in September 1.

All the departments of the Portage Iron Works, at Duncanville, Pa., are in operation after an eight months' strike. The puddlers have acceded to the wage scale of \$2.75 per day. The mills will work on double turn.

All departments of the Burden Iron Com-All departments of the Burden Iron Company's plant at Troy, N. Y., have been started and are now in full blast. The company state that this is simply in accordance with their customary programme—the usual resumption after summer repairs. The puddlers accepted a reduction of 40 cents a ton.

Machinery.

The business so long and successfully conducted by the Hon. G. W. Fifield, at Lowell, Mass., has been capitalized by him and will be henceforth the Fifield Tool Company. Mr. Fifield retains a large interest and is president and general manager. The new corporation occupy the large and commodious factory owned by them, which embraces 2 acres of floor space devoted entirely to the manufacture of engine lathes. The lathes now being produced are built from an entirely new set of patterns.



The Shaw Electric Crane Company of Muskegon, Mich., are well supplied with work. They are preparing for shipment to the United States arsenal at West Troy, N. Y., a 67-ton crane. It will require the use of five cars to make the shipment. Orders have been received recently for a 20-ton crane for Vienna, Austria; a 2-ten hand rail crane for the Nekoosa Paper Company, Nekoosa, Wis., and 5, 10 and 40 ton electric travelers for the St. Louis Stamping Company, St. Louis, Mo.

The interest upon the scrip of the Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Company of Pittsburgh to September 1, 1894, will be paid to holders of record of that date.

The plant of the Derwent Foundry Company, Ellwood City, Pa., manufacturers of light and heavy iron castings, is in operation to nearly full capacity.

A contract for 1500 horse-power boilers was recently let to the Heine Safety Boiler Company by the city of Chicago for the new municipal lighting plant. Bids ranged as follows: Babcock & Wilcox, \$28,160; Campbell & Zell, \$20,898; The Stirling Company, \$20,412; Heine Safety Boiler Company, \$19,310; the Caldwell Standard Boiler Company, \$14,800.

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The Boston Department of the Akron Iron Company, Akron, Ohio, has just delivered a 227 horse-power Falls friction clutch cut off coupling to the Wright & Colton Wire Cloth Company of Worcester, Mass., for use in their enlarged power plant, which allows them to throw in and out the wire mill without stopping. There has also been delivered to them a 6-inch hammered iron shaft, together with the ring oiling bearings in which the shaft runs. The Boston Department of the Akron Iron Company has also just fitted out the large new plant of Atwood Brothers, at Whitman, Mass., who are building a fire proof wood working establishment, which is said to be a model of its kind. This complete outfit includes the patent calendered shafting, adjustable self oiling bearings, patent steel rim pulleys and about 40 of the Falls friction clutch pulleys and cut off couplings, which are so arranged in the different lines of shafting as to throw out each machine individually and do away entirely with tight and loose pulleys.

The Cleveland Machine Screw Company pulleys.

The Cleveland Machine Screw Company, Cleveland, Ohio, have given notice of an increase in stock of from \$200,000 to

Arrangements have been practically completed which will result in the Crescent Machine Company, recently organized at Columbiana, Ohio, locating their plant at Leetonia, Ohio.

Justice Beach in the Supreme Court, Chambers, New York, has grauted the motion of the stockholders to dissolve the Cockburn Barrow & Machine Company of Jersey City, N. J., and on their application appointed John F. Anderson receiver for the company. company.

The new pump works of the Laidlaw-Dunn Gordon Company at Cincinn sti, Ohio, are being rapidly completed. The foundry, the first building to be finished, is 100 x 665 feat in size feet in size.

A receiver has been appointed for the Park & Lacy Machinery Company of Portland, Ore.

The employees of the Consolidated Steel & Wire Company's works, at Joliet, Ill., have been notified that the plant will be started up on the 10th inst. They manufacture barb wire, wire nails and market wire. The old scale of wages has been reduced 10 per cent.

The Young Men's Christian Associations in Washington, Buffalo and Chicago have recently been fitted up with the locks of the Keyless Lock Company, Indianapolis, Ind., and 88 Chambers street, New York.

The Coleman Hardware Company's works, at Morris, Ill., began running on full time on the 28d ult. For over a year the concern had been operating with a reduced force on half time

The L. Hardy Company of Worcester, Mass., have been incorporated with a capital stock of \$35,000, for the manufacture of machine knives, edge tools, &c., to succeed the business of L. Hardy & Co. of which Henry A. Hoyt was proprietor. The officers of the corporation are L. B. Butler, president; Henry A. Hoyt, treasurer, and Moses Thompson, clerk.

The boiler rooms of the Lekeside Neil

The boiler rooms of the Lakeside Nail Mills, Hammond, Ind., were destroyed by

fire on the 25th ult., causing a loss of \$3000, fully covered by insurance.

The Treuton Brass Mfg. Company of Trenton, N. J., who were incorporated a few days ago, have filed a certificate changing their name to the Crescent Brass Mfg. Company.

The works of C. Hammond & Son, at Philadelphia, Pa., have started up after a long period of idleness.

Chicago capitalists who have organized a wire nail company with a capital stock of \$400,000 are thinking of establishing their plant at Superior, Wis.

The Cleveland Machine Screw Company, Cleveland, Ohio. have increased their capital stock from \$200,000 to \$300,000.

The Valley Paper Company, with a capital stock of \$50,000, have been organized at Beaver Falls, Pa., and have purchased the building formerly occupied by the Hartman Mfg. Company, and also the machinery of the Beaver Falls Paper Company. The company will begin fitting up the machinery preparatory to beginning operations as speedily as possible. The output will be glazed hardware paper.

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The Williamsport Staple Company, manufacturers of Hardware specialties, at Williamsport, Pa., have increased the capacity of their plant by the addition of a large boiler and engine.

The American Can & Stamping Works, Limited, have been incorporated at New Orleans, La. Charles B. Emmerich, George H. Dunbar, F. B. Dunbar, Jules Aldidge and W. T. Seaton are the directors of the company. The company will manufacture cans and do a general stamping business. The capital stock is \$50,000.

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J. B. Ammons is organizing a company at Houston, Texas, to manufacture agricultural implements, hardware, &c.

Miscellaneous.

The Haskell & Barker Company of Michigan City, Ind., have received an or-der from the Illinois Central Railroad for 500 freight cars.

The Ohio Falls Car Works, at Jeffersonville, Ind., have resumed operations after more than a year's idleness. A contract has been secured for 500 freight cars for the Pennsylvania system, which will enable them to make a good start.

The Eagle White Lead Works of Peoria, Ill., are erecting a three-story building, 102 x 42 feet, with a boiler house 40 x 28 feet. They expect to employ about 40 hands when the factory is finished. A change in name is contemplated, probably to Illinois White Lead Works.

The National Malleable Casting Company last week started a portion of their plant at Indianapolis, Ind., and will put more furnaces at work this week, giving employment to a considerable number of men who have been idle for some time.

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The Madison Car Company of Madison, Ill., have started up their works which had been closed since July 1, 1893, when the company made an assignment. A reorganization has been effected with M. Ramsey as president, C. D McClure, vice-president; Paul A. Fusz, second vice-president and treasurer; A. P. Brigham, secretary. The first work of the company will be to build 100 coal cars for the St. Louis & Eastern Road. When conditions are normal the company employ over 1000 men.

The Moline Pump Company of Moline, Ill., are so crowded with work that the foundry has been obliged to take off a daily heat. They are enjoying the largest run of orders in their history.

Ground was broken on the 24th ult., at Pittsburg, Kan., for the foundations of the new Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf Railroad shops. They are expected to employ 300 men when completed.

The McShane Bell Foundry, Baltimore, Md., have received an order for what is said to be the largest chime of bells ever made in America. The chime consists of 17 bells, the largest weighing 5000 pounds and the total weight of bells and fixtures will be about 55,000 pounds. The chime is for the tower of St. James' Church, Chi-

The Thomas Brass & Iron Company will shortly remove their works from Milwaukee, Wis., to Waukegan, Ill. The new buildings in course of erection at the latter place will comprise a two-story machine shop, 400 x 83 feet, an iron foundry 250 x 60 feet, a brass foundry 200 x 60 feet and a boiler house 144 x 40 feet.

The Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company have declared a dividend of 4 per cent. on the common stock, payable September 1.

One of the officials of the Corliss Engine Works, Providence, R. I., is credited with saying that a general reduction in the wages of the high priced workmen had been decided upon.

The Union Metallic Cartridge Company of Bridgeport, Conn., have placed the order for three large buildings with the Berlin Iron Bridge Company of East Berlin, Conn.

The business of the Cleveland Facing Mills Company, until recently carried on by the Variety Iron Works of Cleveland, Ohio, has been purchased by Geo. P. Millns and Frank H. Chamberlain, and the purchasers will hereafter conduct it under the name of the Cleveland Facing Company.

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The Ellwood Gas Stove & Stamping Company, Ellwood City, Pa., manufacturers of gas and gasoline stoves, have just received some large orders for their goods for shipment to Kansas City and Cleveland. Their plant has been put in full operation in all departments, and will be fully employed for some time to come in filling these orders. This concern will shortly commence the erection of an iron truss building, 96 x 84 feet in size, to be used for japanning goods.

The Pitteburgh Crushed Steel Company

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The Pittsburgh Crushed Steel Company, Limited, have filed a bill in equity against four of their former employees to restrain them from making and selling a rouge for polishing steel. The rouge is made from a secret formula of the plaintiffs. The defendants learned the formula while in the plaintiffs' employ, but were under agreement never to divulge the secret or to use it. They left the plaintiffs' employ and started in business for themselves. A preliminary injunction was issued, and the case will be heard on September 5.

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The Composite Brake Shoe Company of 620 Atlantic avenue, Boston, Mass., announce that they have made arrangements with the Pennsylvania Iron Works Company of Philadelphia and the Kinzer & Jones Mfg. Company of Pittsburgh, Pa, for the manufacture of their composite brake shoe. It is stated that this brake shoe is becoming a standard with many street railways, especially for the electric service, and has superior braking and wearing features. It overcomes the bucking and jerking of the cars where the brakes are applied, and brings them to a quick and easy stop without the usual sliding of the wheels.

Citizens of New Lisbon, Ohio, have raised \$52,000 of the \$60,000 required to secure a tin plate mill for that town.

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In the Orphans' Court, at Philadelphia, on Monday, September 3, an order was made authorizing the executors and trustees of the estate of John H. Shoenberger to sell coal lands in Pittsburgh and Unity Township, Westmoreland County, belonging to the estate, to Mr. Shoenberger's former partners in Shoenberger & Co., and Shoenberger, Speer & Co. This was done upon the report of examiner and master, who heard the testimony. The price paid was \$323,000, of which \$100,000 is cash and the balance is to be paid in ten annual payments of \$22,500 each. Security was required in the sum of \$500,000.

The Queen & Crescent Route announce the following changes in their Eastern pig iron tariff, effective September 10:

o. Fron	Dayton and Rock- wood, Tenn.	Chattanooga, Tenn.	Birmingham dis- trict.	Decatur, Flor- ence and Shef- field, Ala.
Albanv, N. Y. Allentown, Pa. Bridgeton, N. J. Easton, Pa. Ilion, N. Y. New York, N. Y. Pencoyd, Pa. Providence (R. I. Providence (rail and water). Rochester, N. Y. Trenton, N. J. Troy, N. Y.	4.40 4.00 4.87 4.62 4.40 4.27 5.00 3.89 3.60 4.62 4.40	4.65 4.25 4.65 4.65 4.27 5.25 3.85 4.62 4.65	4.90 4.50 4.87 4.87 4.90 5.10 4.52 5.50 3.85 4.10 4.87 4.90	4.65 4.25 4.65 4.65 4.62 5.25 3.85 4.62 5.25



The Iron Metal Trades.

The Connellsville Coke strike is now a "closed incident," and the serious question is whether the Iron trade of the country must again return to the state of affairs which prevailed before that senseless struggle. A review of the conditions prevailing before the strike and now dominating the markets brings out this one salient fact, that consumption is greater now than it then was. The soft condition of the markets proves that it is not sufficiently great to hold out hopes of an early advance, and the grave question is whether there will be demand enough to prevent a decline, possibly back to the old figures, for Bessemer Pig and Steel Billets.

Ore is actually cheaper than it was, Messaba having been offered lately as low as \$2.10. Coke is still unsettled as to values, no large contracts having been placed lately. So far as Raw Material is concerned there is, therefore, little change in the situation.

The blowing in of so many furnaces west of the Allegheny Mountains has weakened Bessemer Pig, and some fair sales have been made in Pittsburgh at \$11.50.

For early delivery the Pittsburgh Steel Works are practically out of the Billet market. Wheeling and Chicago are taking what urgent business is offering, but on the whole the tone is one of dullness.

In Manufactured Iron and Steel the markets are generally very quiet, and there is a distinct falling off in the demand, which is reflected in a weakening of prices. It is the old story that the large mills insist upon being fully employed, and sacrificing mercilessly to attain that end. Before many weeks roll by the anxiety to secure winter work will make its appearance. Possibly then the railroads may be induced to place orders for equipment of permanent way and for rolling stock. They may then be getting into a position where they can see their way clear toward providing for payment for what they are known to be in sore need of.

To judge from the busy condition of the Cast Iron Pipe foundries, the amount of municipal work going on is large. Town and county bonds sell better than discredited railroad securities.

Philadelphia.

Office of The Iron Age, 220 South Fourth St., PHILADELPHIA, Pa., September 3, 1894.

The market has been very quiet during the past few days, and in many cases prices are less firm than they were a week ago. Business was somewhat interrupted, however, by what was virtually a two days' holiday, but it is evident that the keen edge of the demand is off, and buyers require a little coaxing before they can be induced to make bids. There is an impression that prices of Steel are relatively too high, and as production is rapidly increasing, it is thought that the general market would sympathize with any weakness in Steel. Moreover, consumption seems to have reached its extreme limits for the present, and as there is no heavy business in sight for the immediate future, it is not unlikely that there will be more or less of a pause before things start up with any degree of activity. In general terms it may be said that there is considerably more business than there was during the first half of the year, and there is some accumulation of orders, but all the same there are symptoms of a slight reaction, both as re-gards price and demand, and, as we said before, some little shading of quotations is one of the probabilities of the near

Pig Iron.—The demand is not quite as "snappy" as it was two or three weeks ago, and things may be said to have almost fallen into the old time monotony. Furnaces are well sold up however, and there are no inconvenient accumulations, but there is less disposition to provide for the future, so that the market while not positively weak, is dull and monotonous, as though buyers did not care whether school keeps or not. A few days, or possibly two or three week, will more fully develop actual conditions and give some clue to what the trade may expect during the fall and winter months. Bessemer is weaker and could be laid down in consumers' yards at \$13.50 @ \$13.75, perhaps less for late deliverier, but buyers are very conservative and bid for small lots and for prompt shipments only. General quotations are about as follows for Philadelphia and nearby deliveries:

Bessemer	\$13.75	a	\$14.00
Standard No. 1 Foundry X			
Standard No. 2 Foundry X	11.50	ã	12.00
No. 2 Plain			
No. 1 Soft	11.50	Õ.	11.75
No. 2 Soft	10.75	ã	11.00
Standard Gray Forge	10.50		10.75
Ordinary	10.25	ര	10.50

Muck Bars.—Demand slow at unchanged prices, say \$19 @ \$19.25, f.o.b. sellers' yards.

Steel Billets.-No business of any account has been done for some time past, although stocks are being rapidly reduced and will need general replenishment during the next 30 to 60 days. September shipments are quoted at \$19 50 @ \$19.75, and needy buyers will probably have to pay these prices, but no one will buy that can get through the month without doing so. The future is uncertain, as makers are firm and stocks in consumers' hands unusually light, so that it may require some time to get prices down to what buyers regard as a legitimate basis. Large consumers consider \$18 to be full value for the last quarter of the year, but in the mean time makers are not inclined to consider anything less than \$19, and that figure is subject to approval as to quantity, delivery, settlement, &c.

Finished Material.—There is no material change in the situation, except that the demand has dropped off a little and that prices are hardly as firm as they were a week ago. There is a moderate amount of inquiry, however, and if they result in business it will enable mills to maintain the statu quo, but without some increase in the demand beyond that of the past two weeks some of the mills will probably have to go on shorter time. It may be a little remature to suggest anything of that kind, but, nevertheless, the immediate outlook is not as bright as it was some time ago, and a good deal will depend on the amount of business coming out within the next two or three weeks. Some of the mills have a nice accumu-lation of orders and the day to day demand is still very good, but large orders once in a while are essential to permanent activity. Western mills are competing for business as sharply as ever, so that any order of decent proportions can only be secured by making a special price. Ordinarily small lots are quoted about as follows:

Grooved Skelp	.1.25¢	@	1.30¢
Standard Refined Bars	1.20¢	(a)	1.25¢
Medium quality	.1.10¢	(Q)	1.15¢
Tank Steel		@	1.40¢
Heavy Plates	.1.30¢	@	1.40¢
Shell		Œ,	1.60¢
Flange	.1.60¢	Ø.	1.80¢
Angles	.1.40¢	@	1.50¢
Beams and Channels	.1.50¢	Ø.	1.60¢

Old Material.—There is a good demand for some specialties, such as heavy melting Steel, No. 1 Wrought Scrap and both Iron and Steel Rails, but it is difficult to agree upon prices as holders want more money than consumers are willing to pay. General quotations (delivered) are about as follows:

Heavy Melting Steel	\$10.50	@	\$11.50
Light Melting Steel	8.00	@	8.50
No. 1 Wrought Scrap	10.50	@	11.50
Machinery Cast	9.50	<u>@</u>	10.00
Wrought Turnings	8.00	Ō.	8.50
Cast Borings	6.25	@	6.75
Old Iron Rails	11.50	Ō.	12.00
Old Car Wheels	9.50	@	10.00

Chicago.

(By Telegraph.)

Office of The Iron Age, 59 Dearborn street, (CHICAGO, September 5, 1894.)

Again we have to report a c nsiderably increased volume of business. This increase, however, does not embrace all classes of goods. There is a distinct preference shown for goods sold at the lowest prices and the manufacturers and merchants dealing in higher priced commodities are consequently not so well favored with business as their competitors. This accounts to some extent for the conflicting reports which are now current as to the improvement in business.

Pig Iron.—Local Coke Iron has been more active and the sales of the week included several round lots. Considerably more business is in sight owing to the gradual extension of the territory covered from this producing center. Shipments are very heavy, the leading producer having delivered the last month the largest quantity sent out any month since June, 1893. Southern furnace agents report a little better demand for carload lots and are inclined to feel confident that the near future will bring them more business. One sale of 100 tons of No. 2 Soft was made for immediate delivery at \$7.25, at furnace. Lake Superior Charcoal is in somewhat better demand in carloads, but inquiries

for round lots are still wanting. Quo tations are given as follows for cash:

Lake Superior Charcoal Local Coke Foundry, No. 1. Local Coke Foundry, No. 2. Local Coke Foundry, No. 3. Local Scotch Ohio Strong Softeners No. 1. Southern Silvery, No. 1. Southern Silvery, No. 2. Southern Coke, No. 2. Southern Coke, No. 3. Southern, No. 1. Soft.	\$14.25 @ 10.25 @ 10.00 @ 9.50 @ 10.25 @ 13.00 @ 10.75 @ 10.75 @	\$15.00 10.50 10.25 10.00 10.50 13.50 11.25 10.75 11.25
Southern. No. 2, Soft	10.50 @ @ @ 17.50 @ 15.25 @ 14.25 @ 11.25 @ . 10.5J @	16.00 14.50

Bars.—The largest sale of Bar Iron made for some time in this market was consummated last week, when about 1500 tons of Car Iron were sold on private terms. The general condition of trade is better. More buyers are in the market. Prices are fairly steady, at 1.05ϕ @ 1.10ϕ , Chicago, on mill shipments of Common Iron from Old Rail Mixture, and 1.15ϕ @ 1.20ϕ on Guaranteed Iron. The scarcity of cheap Scrap is mentioned among manufacturers as likely to affect the price of Bar Iron. Soft Steel Bars are still quoted at 1.25ϕ @ 1.30ϕ , Chicago, for mill shipment of moderate quantities, but large buyers are able to do better. An improved demand is noted for small lots of Bars from jobbers' stock. They continue to quote 1.25ϕ upward for Iron and 1.35ϕ for Soft Steel.

Structural Material.—Considerably more work is in sight, especially in the building line. The new Metropolitan Railroad elevated power house will take over 500 tons of material. Quite a number of schemes for warehouses and other structures are coming up. Many of these contracts may not be placed very soon, however, so that in the mean time business is lighter, with a gradual falling off in the demand for small lots from city and country. Quotations of mill shipments, Chicago delivery, are as follows: Beams and Channels, 1.45ϕ @ 1.50ϕ ; Angles, 1.40ϕ @ 1.45ϕ ; Tees, 1.65ϕ ; Universal Plates, 1.40ϕ @ 1.45ϕ . Small lots of Beams and Channels from stock, 1.75ϕ @ 1.90ϕ ; Angles, 1.50ϕ @ 1.60ϕ ; Tees, 1.70ϕ @ 1.80ϕ .

Plates. — The mills making close prices are favored with a good amount of business, which seems to be of greater volume each week. An inquiry is in the market for 500 tons for hydraulic purposes. Jobbers' sales last month were the best since June, 1893, and show a gain of 25% over August of last year. Their trade shows a steady increase from month to month. A very heavy demand is in progress for Wrought Pipe, and some of the manufacturers are falling into arrears on deliveries. Mill shipments, Chicago delivery, are quoted as follows: Tank Steel, 1.40¢ @ 1.50¢; Flange Steel, 1.65¢ @ 5¢. Store prices are as follows: Iron or Steel Sheets, Nos. 10 to 14, 1.80¢ @ 1.90¢; Tank Steel, 1.65¢ @ 1 85¢; Flange Steel, 2¢ @ 2.15¢; Boiler Tubes, in carloads, 70 % @ 75% off.

Sheets.—Mills quite generally are crowded with work and the principal manufacturers are falling behind in deliveries on both Black and Galvanized, while the demand continues excellent. Mill shipments are quoted at 2.35 ϕ , Chicago, for No. 27 Common Iron and 2.45 ϕ for Steel, and 75 and 15 % off for Galvanized Sheets. Sheet Copper is still quoted at 14 ϕ base, in large lots, with concessions to best buyers. Jobbers are selving from store small lots unchanged is in strong and $9\frac{1}{2}\phi$ is in the local product of the self-strong and $9\frac{1}{2}\phi$ is in strong and $9\frac{1}{2}\phi$ in strong and $9\frac{1}{2}\phi$ is in strong and

of No. 27 Common Black Sheets at 2.40¢ @ 2.60¢, and Galvanized Sheets 75 and 5 % to 75 and 10 %.

Merchant Steel. — The volume of business shows considerable expansion. The improved demand for Tire Steel continues from wagon and carriage builders. General trade also shows improvement. Mill shipments, Chicago delivery, are quoted as follows: Smooth Finished Machinery Steel, 1.60¢ @ 1.70¢; Smooth Finished Tire, 1.60¢ @ 1.70¢; Open Hearth Spring Steel, 1.85¢ @ 1.90¢; Bessemer Machinery, 1.50¢ @ 1.55¢; Bessemer Tire, 1.40¢ @ 1.45¢; Ordinary Tool Steel, 5½¢@ 7¢; Specials, 10½¢ and upward.

Billets and Rods.—The local manufacturers have made additional heavy sales of Bulets, and the Joliet mill will now be able to run steadily through September. The inquiry continues good and sellers confidently expect that more large orders will be entered during the next two weeks. Quotations are maintained at \$18 @ \$18.25. The Joliet mill starts up Thursday with contracts sufficient to run for a month at least. Quotations of rods are steady at \$25 @ \$25.25.

Rails and Track Supplies.—Local business is still confined to small lots of Steel Rails, but the manufacturers have been able to book enough orders to keep well supplied with work through September and October. The recent sales of Girder Rails to electric railroads here have been made by Eastern manufacturers, as the local makers confine their attention to Standard Sections. The Pueblo mill has taken another 1000 ton order from a Western road. Quotations are continued as follows: Standard Rails, \$25 @ \$27; Steel Splice Bars, 1 25¢ @ 1.35¢; Track Bolts, with Nuts, 2 10¢ @ 2.20¢; Spikes, 1.65¢ @ 1.75¢; Links and Pins, 1.65¢ @ 1.70¢.

Old Rails and Car Wheels.—Holders of O d Iron Rails are not inclined to part with them at low prices, and dealers now make quotations \$11 @ \$11 50. Old Steel Rails are unchanged at \$7.50 for short lengths, but the demand for long lengths has made prices a little firmer, and they may be quoted at \$10 @ \$10.50. Car Wheels would probably advance if buyers were to make any effort to pick up round lots. Nominal quotations are continued at \$10 @ \$10.50, but only for small quantities.

Scrap.—The gradual decrease of stocks causes an apparent firmness in prices. Cheap Scrap particulary is very scarce. Dealers quote the following selling prices \$\pi\$ net ton: Railroad Forge, \$9 @ \$9.25; Dealers' Forge, \$8 @ \$8 50; No. 1 Mill, \$7; Pipes and Flues, \$6; Iron Axles, \$12.25 @ \$12 50; Steel Axles, \$12.75 @ \$13; Heavy Cast, \$7 @ \$7.50; Stove Plate, \$5 @ \$5 50; Cast Borings, \$3 50; Wrought Turnings. \$5; Axle Turnings, \$6; Fish Plates, \$10; Horseshoes, \$9; Mixed Steel, gross ton, \$5.50.

Metals.—Car lots of Lake Copper are unchanged at 9.50¢. Casting Copper is in strong demand in certain quarters and 9½¢ is now asked for best brands. Local producers are sold up for six weeks. Some inquiries are in the market for Spelter but the trade generally continues dull, with prime Western quoted at 3.20¢ @ 3 25¢. Pig Lead opened last weeks at 3.20¢ but declined steadily until at the close there were sellers at 3.10¢. Still lower prices are looked for.

H. O. Crane, secretary and treasurer of the 'rondale Steel & Iron Company of Middletown, Ind., has opened a general sales office for that company in room 1023, The Rookery, Chicago. They will shortly be in the market with a superior quality of tin plate, having their mill fitted up to manufacture the black plates from Billets.

Pittsburgh.

Office of The Iron Age. Hamilton Building, PITTSBURGH. September 4, 1894.

There is a fairly good demand going, but prices all along the line are showing a weaker tendency and on Bessemer Pig a marked decline has occurred. There is now an abundant supply of Coke and no furnace need be idle for want of fuel. Billets are in fair request for close delivery, but buyers and sellers are apart in their views for balance of the year delivery. For Beams, Plates, Bars and Wire articles there is a fair demand, but prices are not as strong as they were, concessions being made for round lots. Taken as a whole, the market is not a discouraging one as the belief is pretty general that the demand will continue to improve, but prices will not likely show much improvement before next year.

Pig Iron.—The resumption of additional furnaces in the Valley districts has brought about a slight decline in the price of Bessemer Pig, and \$11.50, Pitts-burgh, equal to \$10.85 at Valley furnace, has been the basis of a number of transactions during the week. At this writing some 20 furnaces in the Valley are active, while out of 26 stacks in the Pittsburgh district only three are idle. There is a wide difference in views as to the future of the market. Some in the trade believe that the decline is only temporary, while others hold to the only temporary, while others note to the belief that prices will go still lower. It would seem that the Finished Material market is the key of the situation. If there is a good demand for Finished products, thus creating an active Steel market, furnacemen may be able to hold writers where they are but unless there prices where they are, but unless there is a very much heavier demand made on the finishing mills, it is not unwise to assume that Pig Iron will be lower. There is a fair demand for Gray Forge and prices are on the basis of \$10, Pittsburgh, equal to \$9.35 at Valley furnace. A prominent Valley furnace, making a high grade of Foundry Iron, canvassed this market pretty thoroughly last week and took a number of orders on the basis of \$11.75, Pittsburgh, for No. 1 and \$10.75 for No. 2. We quote as follows:

 Neutral Gray Forge
 \$10.00 @ \$10.15 Cash.

 All-Ore Mill
 9.75 @ 10.00

 No. 1 Foundry
 11.75 @ \$12.60

 No. 2 Foundry
 10.75 @ 11.00

 Bessemer
 11.50 @ 11.65

We note sales of Bessemer, aggregating some 18,000 to 20,000 tons for September and October delivery, at \$11.50 @ \$11.65, Pittsburgh. Also a sale of 500 tons of Gray Forge at \$10, Pittsburgh.

Ferromanganese.—The local maker has reduced the price of 80 % to \$50, delivered at buyer's mill, to meet the reduction of \$2 75 \$\pi\$ ton on foreign under the new tariff.

Billets.—The market is in very peculiar condition and it is somewhat difficult to learn just what prices are ruling. The fact that the Pittsburgh furnaces were able to get Coke long before the Valleys and the Wheeling dis-

trict enabled the Pittsburgh mills to get a fair supply of Pig Iron and to take orders for Steel when other districts were not in condition to do so. The Pittsburgh mills went ahead and sold up their product into September and October and as a consequence have no Steel to spare for September and are declining to quote. Outside districts are getting somewhat firmer in their views and \$17.25 @ \$17 50 for September delivery is being asked. Where October and November are tacked on with September our lower quotation would be shaded. We note a sale of 3000 tons of Rod Billets for September and October delivery at a price equal to about \$17.50, Pittsburgh. Also a sale of 500 tons of Billets for September delivery at \$17.60, Pittsburgh, and a sale of 50 tons of Spot Billets at \$18, Pittsburgh.

Structural Material. — Both local mills are being operated to full capacity and have considerable tonnage booked. Pittsburgh continues to get the lion's share of the Eastern trade, and has also taken some good sized orders for Western delivery. We quote Beams and Channels up to 15 inches, at 1.25¢ @ 135¢, according to order. Angles and Universal Plates at 1.20¢ @ 1.25¢, and Tees, 1.40¢ @ 1.50¢.

Plates.—The volume of business is fairly large, but prices are weak and the charge is made that the same aggressive policy is being pursued as existed earlier in the year. We quote Tank Steel, 1.20ϕ @ 1.30ϕ , according to order; Shell, 1.30ϕ @ 1.40ϕ ; Flange, 1.40ϕ @ 1.50ϕ ; Fire Box, $2\frac{1}{3}\phi$ @ $3\frac{1}{3}\phi$, according to quality. On round lots of Tark Plate our lower quotation is being shaded.

Muck Bars.—Trade is dull and we quote at \$19 @ \$19.25, delivered, for best grades.

Bars.—The demand is very fair and some season contracts are yet to come in that will require a large tonnage. The Valley mills are better employed at this time than for some months. We quote Common Iron Bars at $1\phi @ 1.05\phi$. usual extras. Steel Bars at $1.05\phi @ 1.10\phi$, with Bar Iron extras.

Wire Rods.—We note a sale of 300 tons for September shipment at \$24, Pittsburgh.

Merchant Steel.—The situation is unchanged, and we quote as follows: Bessemer Machinery, 1.30¢ @ 1.35¢; Open Hearth Spring, 1.65¢ @ 1.70¢; Open Hearth Machinery, 1.45¢ @ 1.55¢; Machine Straightened Tire, 1.60¢ @ 1.65¢; Tool Steel, 5¢ @ 7¢ for ordinary grades; 11¢ @ 13¢ for extra grades.

Barb Wire.—There is a very fair demand, and while prices are low there is a slightly better feeling, and makers expect to secure better prices before long. We quote Four-Point Galvanized at \$2.05 in carload lots. For round lots this price would probably be slightly shaded.

Wire Nails.—Makers report a very satisfactory demand, and all indications point to a heavy fall business. We quote at \$1.05 base in carload lots. The demand for Cut Nails is much improved, and makers believe that prices will soon show improvement. We quote at 90¢ @ 95¢ in carload lots for usual averages.

Sheets.—The demand shows some improvement, particularly for Galvanized Sheets. We quote No. 27 Common Iron at 2.25¢ and No. 27 Steel at 2.35¢.

Pipes and Tubes.—The order for 6800 feet of Line Pipe referred to last week

has been taken by a Pittsburgh mill. The demand for Pipes and Tubes is active, but prices show no improvement.

Skelp Iron and Steel.—There is a very fair demand with prices ruling as follows: Grooved Steel Skelp, 1.05¢ @ 1.10¢; Sheared Steel Skelp, 1.15¢ @ 1.20¢; Grooved Iron Skelp, 1.25¢ @ 1.30¢; Sheared Iron Skelp, 1.35¢ @ 1.40¢, less 2 % cash in ten days.

Connellsville Coke.—Last week was a banner one in the matter of production, the output in the Connellsville region being slightly over 121,000 tons. All traces of the long strike are rapidly disappearing. Some few contracts for Coke expire on October 1, and negotiations are now in progress looking to their renewal.

Birmingham.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., September 3, 1894. There is little change to note in the general situation. A gradual improvement in almost all lines of business is reported, and with it a slow gain in general confidence. The reorganization of the railroads will have an effect that will soon make itself felt in general markets, as it will enable repairs and improvements to be made which the receivers could not undertake. Collections are in some instances still very slow, but will materially improve as crops are being harvested.

Pig Iron.—The demand in the East for Southern Iron still exceeds that in the Sales are good and exceed make, West. so that preparations for starting more furnaces still continue. The demand for No. 2 Foundry is especially good and some difficulty is felt in supplying immediate shipments. Soft Irons are scarce as heretofore and not kept in stock at all. There is no increase in stocks, except some low grades, which are, however, held to fill larger sized orders. There are comparatively few of these reported, most orders being for carload and 100 to 300 ton lots. There seems as yet no disposition to buy ahead in large quantities. This is especially the case in the higher grades, while Gray Forge records several orders of over 2000 tons at current rates. question of current rates is a hard one to determine right now. One producer, while practically out of the market, quotes \$1 above current rates; another, not producing to full capacity as yet shows orders of 200 and 300 ton lots at prices ranging from 25¢ to 45¢ above current rates, while other large producers give the following as current rates: No. 1 Foundry, \$8 @ \$8 25; No. 2 Foundry and No. 1 Soft, \$7 50, top price; No. 3 Foundry, \$7, \$top price; No. 2 Soft, \$7 @ \$7.25; Gray Forge, \$6 50 @ \$6 75.

Finished Material.—The outlook among the mills is reported as not very encouraging. Since the passage of the tariff bill there has been a tendency among Northern mills to rush the market and get all they can. This has a tendency to keep the local mills out of the close markets, and there are no definite indications of an early start. On the other hand repairs and improvements are rapidly pushed at the Birmingham Rolling Mill Company, and heavy stocks of Ore, Billets and Pig Iron are accumulating. There is a tendency to await the result of the new laws on foreign importation. Stocks of Steel Billets, mainly from Ashland, are large, and the tendency to use Steel in large quantities in place of Iron is

very marked. The Birmingham Rolling Mills expect to put in two more sheet mills.

St. Louis.

(By Telegraph.)

Office of The Iron Age, Bank of Commerce Building, St. Louis, September 5, 1894.

Pig Iron.—The past week has not been particularly active. Sales have been limited both in size and quantity, and yet there is a number of inquiries in the market which will very likely result in business. There is no disposition to shade prices, as it has been pretty thoroughly demonstrated that sales cannot be made simply because the Iron is cheap. Unless consumers really need the Iron they cannot be induced to buy by the offer of cut prices. The situation shows improvement, and, while no great advance in prices is looked for, a slight improvement over to-day's prices does not seem unreasonable to expect. Sales during the week were made on the basis of prices as quoted herewith, which are for cash, f.o.b. cars St. Louis:

 Southern Coke, No. 1 Foundry
 \$11.00 @ \$11.25

 Southern Coke, No. 2 Foundry
 10.25 @ 10.50

 Southern Coke, No. 3 Foundry
 9.75 @ 10.00

 Southern Car Wheel
 16 50 @ 17.00

 Gray Forge
 9.50 @ 9.75

 Ohio Softeners
 14.00 @ 14.50

Bar Iron.—There is no change to note in the situation. The demand is fair, and while railroads and car builders are gradually increasing their purchases, they are not as yet sufficiently large to influence prices, which remain as last quoted—viz., carload lots from mill, 1.10ϕ @ 1.15ϕ . Jobbers quote 1.30ϕ @ 1.35ϕ , according to quantity.

Barb Wire.—A gradual improvement is noticed in the demand for Barb Wire. Jobbers are beginning to stock up for the fall trade so that the mills are pretty well employed. The local demand is increasing, and prices are well maintained as follows: Painted, in carload lots, \$1.85; Galvanized, \$2.25. Wire Nails at \$1.20, f.o.b. cars St. Louis, is about a bottom quotation for Nails. For special trade this price is occasionally shaded, but on the other hand sales are made at \$1.25, so that \$1.20 is a fair quotation. The demand is improving, and as stocks are not heavy, either in jobbers' or manufacturers' hands, any substantial improvements in the demand will be quickly reflected in prices.

Rails and Track Supplies—There are more inquiries in the market for Rails, some of them calling for good sized quantities, but as yet no transactions of any note are reported. Track Supplies continue in good demand at unchanged prices. We quote as follows: Splice Bars, 1.35¢; Spikes, 1.70¢ @ 1.75¢; Bolts, Square Nuts, 2¢; with Hexagon Nuts, 2.10¢; Steel Links and Pins, 1.55¢; Iron, 1.65¢. Standard Rails are quoted at \$26 50 @ \$27; Old Iron Rails are nominally \$10 @ \$10.50.

Pig Lead.—Some heavy sales of future delivery have been made at from 3 05¢ @ 3.10¢, while spot lots command as high as 3 20¢. The consumptive demand is not heavy, and the larger part of the sales recorded is speculative.

Spelter.—There are no heavy buyers in the market, but the run of small

orders shows a steady increase, so that the volume of business is about the average. The market is quoted from 3.20ϕ @ 3.25ϕ , although the former price is the one at which most sales have been made.

Cincinnati.

(By Telegraph.)

Office of The Iron Age, Fifth and Main Sts. CINCINNATI. September 5, 1894.

There has been a fair volume of business during the week, and the beauty of it is that it was nearly all in this district, the demand coming largely from the Iron Pipe works, which seem to have an unusually good demand for Pipe for this season of the year, and for small sizes, and able to obtain better prices than have prevailed during the summer. The demand is largely for No. 2 Foundry, No. 2 and No. 1 Soft, but the lower grades and Forge Iron is selling well, and the market may be called steady and firm. Prices are the same for forward delivery, running to the end of the year as for current delivery, and there have been sales covering three months of next year on the same basis. There were several sales of 1000 tons each, but more generally 500 tons is as much as buyers are disposed to contract for, and there are enough of these to make the aggregate reach nearly to the proportions of old times. The Iron Pipe works are melting much metal, but the stove works are doing more work. The agricultural works are not idle, but have not begun to work actively. There is little demand for Charged Iron, but some of the care for Charcoal Iron, but some of the car works and repair shops are preparing to do more work. Quotations are as fol-

Foundry.

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Southern Coke, No. 1 \$10.50 @ \$10	.75
Southern Coke, No. 2 9.75 @ 10	.00
Southern Coke, No. 3 9.25 @ 9	.50
Ohio Soft Stone Coal, No. 1 14.50 @ 15	.50
Ohio Soft Stone Coal, No. 2 14.00 @ 14	.50
Lake Superior Coke, No. 1 12.50 @ 13	.00
Lake Superior Coke, No. 2 11.50 @ 12	.00
Hanging Rock Charcoal, No. 1 16.00 @ 17	0).
Hanging Rock Charcoal, No. 2 15.50 @ 16	3.00
Tennessee Charcoal, No. 1 13.00 @ 13	.50
Tennessee Charcoal, No. 2 12.00 @ 12	.50

Car Wheel and Malleable Irons.

Standard Southern Car Wheel	16.25 @	17.00
Lake Superior Car Wheel and Malleable	15 95 Ø	15.75
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Gray Forge	8.75 @ 8.50 @	9.00 8.75

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, KY., September 1, 1894

There has been no improvement in the price of Iron and it continues to be offered freely. Grades that were scarce are now in more abundance, and buyers do not feel that any advance need be expected in the immediate future, but yet are willing to purchase, where furnaces will sell for long delivery, at present prices. Business unquestionably is reviving, but there are so many furnaces out of blast that can go in that this improvement in trade does not indicate a revival of importance enough to command prices higher than the present basis for several months to come. We quote for cash, f.o.b. cars Louisville:

Southern Coke, No. 1 Foundry. \$10.00 @ \$ Southern Coke, No. 2 Foundry. 9.25 @ Southern Coke, No. 3 Foundry. 8.75 @ Southern Coke. Grav Forge 8.50 @ Southern Charooal, No. 1 Foun-	9.50 9.00 9.75
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Financial.

The over sanguine individuals who looked for an immediate boom in the markets on the passage of the tariff bill have been doomed to disappointment. The gain in general business since the measure became law has not assumed the proportions many people expected. Yet there has been improvement in many quarters, and, as compared with last year, the gain is quite marked. At this time last year, however, the country was plunged in the depths of depression, the months of August and September, 1893, being the worst of a bad season. parison of the condition of current business with that of the corresponding period of last year does not, therefore, in-dicate any extraordinary activity. In-deed, as compared with 1892, at the same season, business in general is still decidedly dull. The volume of Clearing House exchanges throughout the country for the month of August, although showing a gain of 8 2 per cent. over 1893, is still 21.5 per cent. lower than that of August, 1892, while the average of prices for products of all kinds is only 5 per cent. lower than they were at that time. Trade reports from all sources indicate, neverthless, a better feeling among buyers and a more active movement of goods. This is notably the case in the dry goods and boot and shoe trades, which have both experienced a considerable accession of activity in the past week. The demand for other products is also growing, and the imports of general merchandise show a marked increase.

The improvement in business conditions is reflected in the prices of securities, which, after the reaction of last week, have again advanced during the past few days and remain, at this writng, firm at the higher rates. Wall street discounted the effect of the passage of the tariff law nearly two weeks ago, when the prices of stocks and bonds advanced sharply in an active market. This buoyancy was followed by a partial relapse last week, several securities, especially those on the "industrial" list, affected more or less by the new duties, falling materially. Of these, Sugar was the most prominent, losing nine points during the week. Since the opening of the present week the movement of stocks has again been upward and the general tone of the market is more confident. The grangers show a very gratifying advance all round in spite of unfavorable crop reports. Burlington, Rock Island and St. Paul have all secured substantial advances in prices, while Atchison and Northern Pacific have shared in the improvement to some ex-The rise in St. Paul and Rock Island is due largely to the belief that both those roads will pay their regular dividends this month, Rock Island being about to receive \$4,000,000 by the redemption of its holdings of Minneapolis & St. Louis improvement and equipment bonds.

The improved report of earnings of Louisville & Nashville accounts for a rise of nearly 4 points in those stocks. The July statement of the road shows an increase of \$3836 for the month, in place of the decreases hitherto reported. Nevertheless it is said that the increase of more than a fourth in the value of the property during the last month has been largely engineered by a "bull pool." Western Union is another stock that has secured a marked advance in value during the past day or two, on the report that the full regular dividend will be announced at the directors'

meeting next week. Among other stocks which have come into prominence through favorable buying are General Electric and Missouri Pacific. Generally the list was strong at the close although business was dull. Dealings on the Stock Exchange are still almost entirely confined to the professional element. The outside investing public still holds aloof.

The following list, which shows the highest and lowest prices of the leading railroad and industrial stocks during the month of August and the prices at which they closed on the last day of the month, illustrates the improvement which has taken place subsequent to the settlement of the tariff question:

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Am. Sugar Ref	1147/	102	$104 \frac{8}{4}$
Atchison, T. & S. Fé	71/2	33/4	$7\frac{1}{4}$
Balt. & Ohio	76%	6950	$76\frac{1}{3}$
Chicago Gas	78%	71%	748/
Chic., B. & Q			771/
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul.			$65\frac{1}{8}$
Chic., Rock Isl. & Pac			651%
Del., Lack. & Western			166%
Distilling & Cattle Fdg	z 24 🦠	171/4	$18\frac{3}{4}$
Gen. Electric		3:3%	$39\frac{9}{4}$
Lake Shore	139	1281	135
Louisville & Nashville.	571/2	(45%)	58½
Manhattan	122	112	$118\frac{1}{3}$
Missouri Pacific	311	6 23%	· 291/4
National Lead, Commo	n. 447	š 38´`	$42\frac{1}{6}$
New Jersey Central	116	1061/8	1131/3
N. Y., L. E. & Wester	n. 161/2	$\sqrt{12\%}$	15%
Northern Pacific, Pfd.	209	§ 13%	$20\frac{1}{6}$
Philadelphia & Readin	g., 225	š 17´`	21%
Richmond & West		~	, ,
Terml	181	√ 14½	18
U. S. Cordage	23	17⅓	
Union Pacific	143		135%
Western Union	905		89/2

Considerable more activity has been displayed in the bond market than in the stock market. The volume of dealings has been comparatively higher and the tendency has been toward steadily increasing prices, especially in the railroad issues. Last week more than 30 denominations scored advances of from 1 ½ to 3½ ½, while few declined at all. Business in both railway and miscellaneous bonds has been large since the opening of this week, and the maket closed firm and high on Wednesday. Government bonds have been firm, prices remaining unchanged at the following quotations:

		Asked
s, 1891, registered	. 96	
's, registered	. 1131/	114
's, coupon	. 1141%	115
s, registered		119
s, coupon	. 118%	119

The tendency of the market for Sterling has been toward lower rates. The supply of bills on Tuesday, after three days' holiday, was much larger than usual, and considerably in excess of the requirements of remitters, consequently the market showed decided weakness. Actual business was done on Wednesday at \$4.85\frac{1}{2} for 60 days, \$4.86\frac{1}{2} for demand, \$4.86\frac{1}{2} for commercial.

Domestic exchange on New York is quoted as follows: New Orleans, commercial 50 discount, bank par; Savannah, buying par, selling, ‡ premium; Charleston, buying at par, selling at $\frac{1}{10}$ @ ‡ premium; San Francisco, sight, $12\frac{1}{2}$; telegraph, 15; Boston, 10 @ $12\frac{1}{2}$ discount.

Saturday's bank statement caused surprise by exhibiting a much smaller increase in the volume of loans than was expected, while the cash held by the New York banks was shown as only \$50,000 less than the week before. The loss is almost unaccountably small. All the changes resulted in a decrease of the surplus reserve of \$897,825, the amount now standing at \$65,820,825.

The following is a comparison of the averages of the New York banks for the last two weeks:

The shipments of currency to country banks from this center continue light and are not thought likely to assume any large proportions until the bulk of the grain and cotton crops is actually ready to move. There is still but little demand for idle capital. Money on call rules at 1% and the market for time money shows hardly any change. There is no diminution in the supply nor expansion in the demand. Rates are quoted at 2% for 60 days, 2½% for 90 days, 3% for 4 month, 3½% for 5 months, 3½% @ 4% for longer periods. Foreign funds have been loaned during the week at the rate of 2½% for 4 months, with the stipulation of repayment in gold.

Mercantile paper is in fair demand, but the supply of high grade material

Mercantile paper is in fair demand, but the supply of high grade material continues limited. Rates are 2 % @ 3½% for indorsed bills, according to grade; 4 % @ 4½% for first-class single names, and 4½% upward for others.

Bar silver has lost a fraction during the week under review. On Wednesday it closed in London at $30\frac{2}{15}$ pence, and in New York at $65\frac{1}{2}\phi$, nominal, per ounce. Shipments from New York to the extent of nearly 1,000,000 ounces have been made since our last report.

The Governmental report of receipts and expenditures for August, while not quite as favorable as had been expected, is nevertheless a very gratifying exhibit. The total receipts were \$40,417,605 81 and the expenditures \$31,656,636.85, showing a net gain of \$8,760,968.96 for the Treasury balance this month. For the two months of the fiscal year 1895 there is a net gain of \$6,921,726 18, against a deficit for the corresponding two months of the fiscal year 1894, of \$18,184,455.59. This is a gain over last year, therefore, of over \$25,000,000 for the two months. Of the receipts for the month \$11,804,914 21 were from customs and \$27,562,278.80 were from internal revenue. The gold reserve stood at the end of the month at \$55,216,900.49.

Metal Market.

Pig Tin. — Comparatively little change in prices has taken place during the past week, and dealings on speculative account reached only a moderate total. Purchases by interior jobbers have increased somewhat, however, and business with consumers has been more liberal. Prices at this writing are about 16¢ net cash for 5 ton or larger lots, and the market shows strong tone.

Copper.—New business has been on a moderate scale, and the demand generally very slack. There is little if any selling pressure, however, and prices remain steady at $9\frac{1}{4}\phi$ @ $9\frac{1}{4}\phi$ for Lake Superior Ingot; $8\frac{3}{4}\phi$ @ $8\frac{7}{4}\phi$ for Electrolytic and $8\frac{1}{4}\phi$ @ $8\frac{4}{3}\phi$ for common casting stock.

Pig Lead.—Common domestic for prompt delivery is quoted at 3.30¢ and the market seems to be fairly firm because of moderate offering. Near future deliveries are somewhat uneven and rather weak, with fairly free offering and 3.25¢ apparently all that could be realized.

Spelter.—Hardly any change has taken place in the market here. The movement continues to be rather slow, and consumers are extremely indifferent. Prices remain at about $3~40\phi~@~3.45\phi$ for ordinary Western brands.

Antimony.—Spot prices are about $7\frac{3}{2}\phi$ for Hallett's and $9\frac{1}{2}\phi$ for Cookson's. There has been little business outside of ordinary jebbing distribution.

Tin Plate.—Spot dealings have been on a very moderate scale and chiefly at about the prices that ruled a week ago. Futures are quieter, and, while not positively lower, prices seem rather easier. For deliveries this month the quotations are as follows: Charcoal, Melyn grade, IC, \$6; do., Melyn grade, Crosses, \$7.75; do., Allaway grade, IC, \$5.30; do., Allaway grade, IC, \$5.45; do., Grange grade, Crosses, \$6.40; do., Grange grade, IC, \$5.45; do., Grange grade, Crosses, \$6.40; do., Grange grade, IC, \$5.45; do., Terne, M. F., 14 x 20, \$7.20; M. F., 20 x 28, \$14.40; Worcester, 14 x 20, \$5.70; do., 20 x 28, \$11; Alyn grade, 14 x 20, \$5.05; do., 20 x 28, \$10 @ \$10.25; D. R. D. grade, 14 x 20, \$4.85; do., 20 x 28, \$9.70. IC Cöke: Penlan grade, \$5; do., J. B. grade, 14 x 20, full weight \$5.10; do., 100 lb, \$4.80; do., 95 lb, \$4.65; do., 90 lb, \$4.55. IC Bessemer Steel, Coke finish, 14 x 20, full weight \$5.10; do., 100 lb, \$4.77\frac{1}{3}; do., 95 lb, \$4.62\frac{1}{3}; do., 90 lb, \$4.55. IC Bessemer Steel, Coke finish, sq., \$5.30. IC Siemen's Steel, Coke finish, sq., \$5.30. IC Siemen's Steel, Coke finish, sq., \$5.35. Wasters: S. T. P. grade, 14 x 20, \$4.60; do., S. T. P. grade, 20 x 28, \$4.80; do., Abercarne grade, 20 x 28, \$4.80; do., Abercarne grade, 20 x 28, scarce.

Dr. David T. Day, Chief of the Division of Mining Statistics and Technology of the United States Geological Survey, has issued the preliminary statement of the production of Spelter for the first six months of 1894. It was compiled by C. Kirchhoff, special agent:

Production of Spelter Semi-Annually (Short Tons).

States.	First balf 1892.	Second balf 1892.	First half 1893.	Second balf 1893.	First half 1894.
Eastern and Southern. Illinois and Indiana Kansas Missouri	6,901 15,483 14,161 8,954	7,594 15,900 10,551 7,713	7,380 16,427 13,269 8,718	5,304 13,169 9,546 5,019	5,084 13,392 11,250 6,458
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Totals	45,499	41,761	45,794	33,038	36,164

A partial statement of stocks shows a decline from 3089 tons on January 1, 1894, to 2859 tons on July 1, 1894.

Pittsburgh Reduction Company, Pittsburgh, Pa., manufacturers of pure aluminum, have located a branch office in New York at 4 Havemeyer Building, corner Church and Dey streets. It will be in charge of James C. McGuire, New York agent and consulting engineer. Their new works, at Niagara Falls, N. Y., will be completed very soon. They will continue to operate their present works at New Kensington, Pa.

The Phosphor Bronze Smelting Company, Limited, Philadelphia, have issued a new price-list of Phosphor Bronze in roll, sheet, wire and circles; Phosphor Bronze Ropes, Nails, Wire Cloth, Pump Rods, Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Screws, Sash Chains, Links, Valves, Cocks, &c.;

"Elephant Brand" Phosphor Bronze and other alloys in ingots or castings; and Gunpowder, Mill Tools, &c. The pricelist is in booklet form, contains 20 pages.

New York.

Office of The Iron Age, 96-102 Reade street, | NEW YORK, September 5, 1894.

Pig Iron.—There are some inquiries in the market, but the movement is as yet very moderate. We quote standard brands \$12.50 @ \$13 for No. 1; \$11 @ \$12 for No. 2, at tidewater. Southern Iron, same delivery, \$11.50 @ \$12.25 for No. 1; \$10.50 @ \$11 for No. 2; \$10 @ \$10.25 for No. 3; \$10.25 @ \$10.75 for No. 2 Soft, and \$10.50 @ \$11 for No. 1 Soft. Foundry Nc. 4 (Foundry Forge) is \$9.75 @ \$10.25.

Spiegeleisen and Ferromanganese.

The leading American maker has reduced prices to meet lower cost of importation. We quote in the absence of business, nominally: Foreign, \$20.50 @ \$21 for 20 % Spiegeleisen, and \$50 @ \$50.50 for 80 % Ferromanganese.

Billets and Rods.—The market is dull. We note a sale of a small lot of Wire Rods, prompt cash, at special terms. We quote nominally Domestic Billets \$19.25 @ \$19.50, and Wire Rods \$26.25 @ \$26.50, tidewater.

Steel Rails.—This market is exceedingly dull at \$24 at mill for standard sections. For certain deliveries this price would probably have to be shaded to keep out foreign Rails.

Track Material.—We quote as follows for small lots: Spikes, 1.50¢ @ 1.70¢; Fish Plates, 1.20¢ @ 1.40¢; Track Bolts, Square Nuts, 2¢ @ 2.10¢, and Hexagon Nuts, 2.10¢ @ 2.30¢, delivered.

Swedish Material.—Efforts to arouse interest among buyers in Swedish Material, on the ground of lower cost of importation, have not been successful thus far.

Manufactured Iron and Steel.—The market is very quiet. To-day a contract for a good amount of Structural Material will probably be closed, but otherwise there is nothing of consequence doing. Plates are quiet. There has been some movement in Bars. We note sales of about 500 tons of 50,000 fb all Muck Bar Iron, on the basis of 1.30¢ delivered here, by a Central Pennsylvania mill. We quote: Beams up to 15 inch, 1.35¢ (20 1.50¢ for round lots; Angles, 1.30¢ (20 1.35¢; Tees, 1.50¢ (20 1.60¢; Channels, 1.40¢ (20 1.50¢, on dock. Steel Plates are 1.30¢ (20 1.40¢ (20 1.65¢ for Flange, and 1.75¢ (20 2¢ for Fire Box, and 2¢ (20 2.25¢ for Locomotive Fire Box, on dock; Refined Bars are 1.25¢ (20 1.9¢, on dock, and Common 1.10¢ (20 1.20¢; Soft Steel Bars are 1.50¢ (20 1.50¢, delivered; Steel Axles, 1.35¢ (20 1.50¢, and Links and Pins, 1.40¢ (20 1.50¢, and Links and Pins, 1.40¢ (20 1.50¢, delivered; Cotton Ties, 67¢ (20 75¢ (20 4.90¢, and Sleigh Shoe, 1.55¢ (20 1.75¢, delivered.

A correspondent of The Iron Age desires to know what rolling mill can furnish $4 \times \frac{9}{4}$ inch and $4\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{4}$ inch beveled edged iron. An effort has been made to obtain this information, but thus far unsuccessfully.



^{*} Decrease.

British Metal Market.

[Special Cable Dispatch to The Iron Age.]

London, September 5, 1894.

The Pig Tin market has been quieter and prices have changed in a moderate way only. After a slight relapse, due to realizing by holders here and quietness of American demand, prices recovered on purchases by the "bull" syndicate. Forward dealing is now somewhat difficult, and outside operators are timid owing to sharp fluctuations in prices latterly and uncertain future. Straits shipments last month were 3700 tons. Stocks here have Dealings to-day slightly increased. were at £70. 10/ for prompts and £72. 17/6 for three months' futures.

Copper is easier in tone, but prices have moved to a slight extent only. Speculative transactions were large early in the week, but subsequent realizing, caused by weaker advices from New York, brought about a reaction. Chili charters last half August were 1400 tons. European visible supply has increased 1454 tons and spot stocks are larger by 1154 tons than they were early in the week. Chili Bars at the close were quoted at £40 for prompt delivery and £40. 5/ for three months' futures. Best selected English £42 @ £43.

Tin Plate has been quiet, and prices are easy. Home inquiry is fair, and there is some call for squares and odd sizes for the oil trade. American buyers, as a rule, are holding off. The Burry & Gorslinon works are restarting. Makers' quotations remain about the same as they were last week.

Pig Lead is without important change; only a fair business is passing. Prices remain at about £9. 17/6 @ £10 for Soft Spanish.

Spelter has been quiet, and the market is without decided change. Prices to day are about £15. 17/6 @ £16 for ordinary Silesian.

The National Tube Works Company, McKeesport, Pa., have been awarded a contract for 8300 feet of 12 inch standard lap welded steel pipe, § inch shell, at \$1.40 per lineal foot, net cash within 30 days after delivery of same, for Shenandoah, Pa. The pipe is to weigh 49 pounds per foot, including couplings, subject, however, to the usual variations of 5 per cent. incident to manufacture; average length to be from 18 to 19 feet, and each length to be fitted with one heavy recessed line pipe coupling with taper threads; pipe to be tested before shipment to withstand a pressure of 800 pounds per square inch.

The Secretary of the Navy, it is announced, will write certain firms to submit samples of cast steel projectiles for the 13 inch gun, to hold a bursting charge of 60 pounds of powder. I. G. Johnson & Co. of Spuyten Duyvil, N. Y., have successfully manufactured shells of this character for guns of smaller caliber; and this concern, together with the Taylor Iron & Steel

Company, Highbridge; the Windale Steel Company, the Carpenter Steel Company, and the Sterling Steel Company will, it is said, compete.

The Tin Plate Manufacturers.

(By Telegraph.)

PITTSBURGH, September 5.— The Tinned Plate Manufacturers' Association of the United States is in session in Pittsburgh to day for the purpose of discussing what reduction in wages has been made necessary by the reduction in the tariff on tin plates. Tomorrow a conference will be held with a committee from the Amalgamated Association, but it is not expected that a settlement will be reached for some little time as a thorough investigation into the changes in the selling prices of tin plates under the new tariff will be had.

What is called a new branch of metallurgical science has just been opened up in France, which is likely to have an important influence upon the iron and steel industry in that country. This discovery is due to the researches of the commission which was formed in 1891 by the French Government, with a view of determining upon some more accurate method of testing constructive material than at that moment existed in France, and to the absence of which was attributed, however groundlessly, the failures of important bridge and other works that had become unpleasantly frequent. A report upon the inquiry of the commission has just been drawn up by MM. L. Bacle and Debray, who set forth results that are considered by them, and by those who thought the commission necessary, to be of the greatest value to the metallurgical industry. By the sid of a miscroscope it is said to be found possible to detect molecular changes in metals, that vary according to the constituents of which they are composed. The changes of appearance are of almost infinite variety; and each of these appearances is said to show accurately the presence of certain elements, some of which may be in such small quantities as to be undetected by chemical analysis. For instance, the presence of phosphorus in tin bronze causes a characteristic characteristic granular appearance that cannot be confounded with any other constituent, and the smallest quantity of aluminum will produce a distinct change in the metal. The value of this new science "Metallography"—as it is called—lies particularly in the fact that it will al-The value of this new science low of the most delicate alloys being made, and it opens up a very wide field for metallurgical research; but its value in bridge construction seems remote, and does not point the way to design bridges that will stand with insufficient material, nor to avoid the necessity for experience in the proper disposition of material.

The Garland Chain Company, Rankin, Pa., manufacturers of Eureka weldless chain, have just purchased an equipment of new machinery from the Lodge & Davis Machine Tool Company of Cincinnati, Ohio, to be used in connection with the manufacture of chain. The plant of this concern is now in full operation, and some large orders have been received for their Eureka weldless chain.

The Tin Plate Tariff

The initial effects of the new tin plate tariff are shown in the closing down of all the smaller tin plate "dipping" works in this vicinity, a proceeding which will, doubtless, generally be followed by these establishments in other quarters. The ground seems to have been completely cut from under the feet of these and similarly placed establishments, unless, indee 1, the price of domestic black sheets is very materially reduced; as, under the revised tariff, they cannot afford to buy the imported article and dip it, so as to sell their product in competition with the foreign tin plates imported under the new duty of 1.2 cents per pound. The only other way of escape for the American dipper making the cheaper grades of plates would be if the Welsh manufacturers plucked up courage to raise their prices for the finished plates sufficiently high to approximate the possible prices at which American black plates can be profitably coated and sold here. It seems hardly likely, however, that our Welsh competitors would pursue so shortsighted a course in respect to their own interests after all they have suffered from the recent restriction of American orders.

The naval torpedo station at Newport, R. I., is full of activity. A press dispatch from that place reports as follows: Work is being pushed with all speed on the preparation of the new gun cotton factory at the torpedo sta-The buildings are completed and tion. the machinery is being set up as it arrives, and a few months will see it in operation. The plant is being further extended for the manufacture of smokeless powder. Two new buildings, on the general plan of those already up, are under construction, as is a test range for the trial of the powder in rapid fire guns, on Rose Island, where is already situated the magazine of the station. A range for the testing of the torpedoes' direct fire at the torpedo station dock is to be dredged out imme-There is much work doing in diately. the line of preparing torpedo outfits for the several new ships. That of the "San Francisco" is now ready for de-That of the livery.

The drought in the West has materially benefited one branch of business. It created a strong demand for pumping apparatus, which includes wind mills, pumps, tanks, &c. The severity of the drought, surpassing anything experienced in a section accustomed to long stretches of dry weather, will very probably cause those who can raise the money to mitigate the destructiveness of future visitations of the same character by boring numerous wells and providing pumping appliances. The outlay will be heavy, but the benefits will much more than compensate for it.

On Labor Day an extensive strike of clothing workers was inaugurated in New York City. The strike is ostensibly directed against the "sweating" system.

The Woodward Colliery of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company made an extraordinary record last week in hoisting 1503 cars of coal, aggregating 3150 tons, up a deep shaft in one day of ten hours. The highest previous record ever made was 1400 cars, which was regarded as phenomenal.

HARDWARE.

Condition of Trade.

HE TRADE will note with satisfaction the evidence of a general improvement in the demand upon the jobbing trade which is contained in the following reports from the leading Hardware centers. It will be seen that in nearly all cases a decided increase in the volume of business is reported and reference made to the prevalence of a perceptibly better feeling. Business is experiencing relief from the uncertainty which has prevailed during the past months owing to tariff agitation, and now that this question is settled, for the present at least, trade is apparently resuming its normal course, and whatever may be the changes in price which will result from the new law, its enactment removes one of the obstacles to business activity. The effect of this is as yet more marked in some other lines of business than in Hardware, and merchants in such lines report a very decided increase in the demand, many houses being exceedingly busy. It is to be expected that Hardware and related lines will soon feel the influence of the improved general conditions of business, and already there is a decided improvement in the feeling of merchants and manufacturers, as well as in the volume of business. It is to be expected that as the month advances there will be a further improvement. The smaller trade are replenishing stocks more freely than for some time, and their orders indicate that they are doing a better business and are anticipating a fair, if not heavy, trade during the next few months. Prices are without important change. values are, on the whole, as low as they have been at any time during the year, in only a few cases has there been any further shrinkage, and, though low, prices are, on the whole, well maintained.

Chicago.

(By Telegraph.)

Shelf Hardware jobbers note a very decided increase in the demand for all classes of goods. Some houses have been obliged to work their packing departments at night. Merchants now show more of a disposition to stock up. New ventures are also a little

more frequent in the Hardware line and several full stocks have been shipped out recently. The trade in tin plate is particularly heavy. The stocks of imported plates are kept low on account of the approaching reduction in duty, but the steady demand compels constant withdrawal from bonded warehouses, even if the full rate of old duty has to be paid. tin and solder have been reduced in price to conform with the new rates of duty. Heavy Hardware jobbers report that they have gained fully onethird in volume of business, as compared with the average of the early summer months. General consumers are buying Iron and Steel in larger quantities, and manufacturers with mill contracts are occasionally picking up the material needed to help out. Some season contracts have been closed for Carriage Materials. The local trade have made reductions in the price of Anvils and Norway and Swedish Irons to conform with the new rates of duty. The sympathy of this community goes out to the unfortunate residents of Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin, who have been so scourged by forest fires the past week.

St. Louis.

(By Telegraph.)

Hardware jobbers have no reason to complain regarding the business they are doing. The month of August will show substantial gains in comparison with August of last year, and the present month starts out very auspiciously. Orders are increasing in size, and while there is no disposition among retailers to anticipate their wants too far ahead the fact that they are gradually increasing their orders is reason for congratulation. Stocks in both jobbers and retailers' hands are estimated to be from 25 to 35 per cent. lighter than they usually are at this time of the year, so that a few weeks of heavy buying would leave stocks in a depleted condition. At present the demand for Shelf Goods is on the increase, and Axes, Firearms and Stove Furnishings are included in orders now received. Prices are unchanged except in articles which are affected by the new tariff, which are being adjusted to meet the new conditions. Collections are fair.

San Francisco.

MILLER. SLOSS & SCOTT.—We are pleased to report that during the past month the volume of sales has, if anything, increased. There is, however, no increase in the demand for goods in quantities, it being still the evident rule to purchase only for actual immediate requirements.

Our harvest season is now at hand, and though our crops have turned out larger than we were led to believe in the early part of the season, the prices realized are not sufficient to circulate any great amount of money in our farming community. Under such conditions we cannot look for any improvement in trade for some time to come, perhaps not until next spring. With all this, collections have been considerably better than for some time past.

St. Paul.

FARWELL, OZMUN, KIRK & Co.-The trade for August has been quite satisfactory to our jobbers. Goods in all lines have moved briskly, and Hardware has kept the pace. There has been some difficulty in getting goods and in keeping up stocks, but this feature is improving, and we can report the trade as in a very healthy condition. The crops are fully up to average in quantity and above average in quality throughout the territory tributary to St. Paul, with the exception of South Dakota and some small strips outside that State. These favorable conditions render it reasonably certain that our wholesale trade will be fairly satisfactory this fall and also in the spring.

The low price of wheat is discouraging to the farmer and affects the retail and wholesale trade, and the hostile action of Congress and the President on free wool also seriously affects considerable sections of country, but notwithstanding these drawbacks the Northwest is steadily recovering from the depression of 1893, and even the most rabid pessimist must consider that there has been large improvement during the year, and the prospects are now quite favorable for a steady growth in the future.

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Prices are now so low and business interests have had so favorable opportunities for adapting themselves to these new conditions, that it seems certain now that a fairly active as well as a safe and profitable trade may be expected. This is the general feeling among our jobbers. The volume of trade is not up to that of '92, which was extraordinarily large, but, with the experience of '93 so fresh in mind, the average business man now feels about as well satisfied with his trade

as he felt in '92.

The storm has cleared well away and men know pretty well where they stand and how best to tackle the future.

The weather continues exceptionally dry. Rain will now be of no benefit to present crops; on the contrary, continued rains would injure them. Yet general and heavy rains, not too long continued, would be of large advantage. Forest fires are frequent and prairie fires are much to be feared, although the latter have been very rare thus far. Rain must also fall before the farmers generally can plow for next year's crop. There have been many flying showers, which have done much good, but as yet no general rains. With their advent the situation in the

Northwest will be very satisfactory and considerably better than anticipated two months ago.

Omaha.

LEE-CLARKE-ANDREESEN HARDWARE COMPANY.—Information received from all parts of the State confirms the statements regarding the failure of the corn crops, as expressed in our last report. Much complaint is heard on all sides and despondent talk is general.

The prospects were altogether so favorable and so encouraging early in the season, the acreage of corn planted so large, that the business community had come to rely largely on the result. An abundant crop means in this section prosperity and easy times.

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one-half of the State and a partial failure in the balance has naturally resulted in extreme disppointment.

Country merchants as well as the mass of producers are in much better financial condition to withstand the exigency of a loss of crops this year than at any previous time. For the past two or three seasons crops have been abundant, and yielded a very fair price, consequently mortgages were price, consequently mortgages were lifted and other obligations liquidated. This, together with various and expensive improvements, has really placed the farming community in a comparative limits independent position and in a tively independent position, and in a measure fitted them for a set back such as is experienced this season.

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For the past year business has been in such shape that merchants of all classes have been feeling their way cautiously, and none have been disposed to take any risks of any character whatever. Goods have been ordered only as the immediate wants of the trade demanded, and stocks of all kinds have been allowed to run down to the lowest possible limit. There is no surplus of merchandise in any part of the country.

With the above existing conditions, it is the consensus of opinion that the business interests of the country are in the best possible shape to put up with

the loss of leading productions.

The passage of the tariff bill was a welcome event to business men generally, as it served to remove some of the ally, as it served to remove some of the uncertainties surrounding the business situation, though many of its provisions are not satisfactory to a majority. As a whole, there is no doubt but what the fall trade will be light in general but the business community.

general, but the business community are prepared for this, and it is not such a serious prospect as might be the case under more complicated circumstances.

Portland, Oregon.

CORBETT, FAILING & ROBERTSON.-Surely this is one of the years King Solomon had in mind when he wrote his remarks about "snow in summer and rain in harvest." Seldom, if ever, have the farmers been more favored tnan during the present season, so far as weather is concerned. The granger who gets left with grain exposed to rain has only himself to blame.

Trade still continues fair; collections are moderate, and will be for a little while until the money "to move the crop" begins to circulate.

The new freight rates on wheatfrom than during the present season, so far as

The new freight rates on wheat from The new freight rates on wheatfrom the interior to tidewater are not as low as was hoped for, but do accomplish something toward helping out some sections of our wheat growing territory. The receiver for the road probably recognizes that his first duty is to see that it earns running expenses. The hop yield is in excess of last year's, the high price ruling then inducing farmers to go into hop raising more extensively. The price this searon is considerably leaves. more extensively. The pson is considerably lower

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Under date of 20th ult, the Panama railroad and steamship lines have issued a freight tariff, quoting through rates, via ocean and Isthmus, to Portland and Northwestern coast ports. How they are to reach Portland does not yet appear, but without question the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company, being freed from their transcontinental entanglements, can now well afford to increase the business of their ocean steamers between San Frantheir ocean steamers between San Francisco and Portland, as that will directly tend to build up their local traffic be tween Portland and the interior.

It is not probable that the new arrangement will greatly affect the rangement will greatly affect the Hardware trade, for the reason that so Hardware trade, for the reason that so many of our supplies are purchased so far west of New York as to make the haul to the seaboard, added to the rates from New York, equal to or greater than all rail rates from the initial shipping point. In many other lines, however, the ocean route will undoubtedly do a good freight business.

Boston.

BIGELOW & DOWSE COMPANY .-Already we begin to realize the good results which are to come from an adjournment of Congress and a settlement of tariff legislation. However much one may dislike the tariff itself, like a good patient the business community prefer to take the dose, however bitter it may be, rather than to be subjected to the slow torture and doubt of the past. New England has had but a meager share of the spoils, but its manufacturers and business men accept the situation, and mills of all kinds are starting and labor is being employed. No one expects a sudden return to prosperity; its return must be gradual but sure. It will be some time before the employed will become accustomed to the new condi-tions. The moneys received for labor tions. The moneys received for labor will not allow of some of the luxuries of the past, and the people will feel poor and not so ready to part with what they receive. The manufacturer will not be ready to forget his lessons in economy, and extension and expansion will be undertaken only after careful consideration. Undoubtedly the ful consideration. Undoubtedly the change will result in better times, but hardly in higher values or larger profits. There may be temporary advances from combinations or scarcity, but the future standard of values in the United States must approach nearer and nearer to a European basis. Looking forward, we expect Septem ber, like August, to show an improve-ment over last year. Any changes in prices thus far show a decline, but the fact remains that many goods are so low in price that when the demand is large enough to encourage the manufacturers to advance they will have good reasons for doing so. The only reason that the demand will be delayed is that the retail dealers feel poor. They have made no money of late, and many will trust to their jobber to look after them and let them have goods at old prices after the advance.

Cleveland.

THE W. BINGHAM COMPANY.-The improvement noted in our last still continues, and there is no doubt that the trade is beginning to assume its old-time activities. The business done in August shows conclusively that the country is very bare of goods, almost

every order being accompanied with a request to "please rush." While the quantities ordered are not so large as formerly, the assortments cover a much wider field, and the orders are more numerous; so, taken in the aggregate, the amount of goods disposed of will compare favorably with the average August trade. The exceptions are in the cities and large manufacturing in the cities and large manufacturing towns, where factories have not yet started fully up, but inquiries for factory supplies are becoming more numerous every day, showing that the manufacturers are beginning to stir themselves and getting ready for more business. Prices remain about the same, except Wire and Nails, which have declined \$1 per ton. The drought in this section is not helping trade any, and unless we get copious rains soon it will have its effect later.

New Orleans.

A. BALDWIN & Co.-Slowly and steadily the situation is improving in this section of the country, and the number of orders we are receiving is constantly increasing from day to day, which leads us to believe that the business during the fall and spring will be much beyond our expectations. Merchants who have been buying only for their actual wants are now beginning to place their stocks in better order for a larger trade than we have had for some larger trade than we have had not some years. Very large crops that have been planted at the lowest cost, even though they be marketed at a lower figure than has been reached before, will still leave a small margin of profit for the planters, and trade is beginning for the planters, and trace is beginning to feel the effects of the general prosperity which is about to be realized. The volume of business with us for July showed a decided improvement over the past two seasons.

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ier improvement still, and altogether the situation is brighter than it has been for some years past.

CARLIN & FULTON.—A review of the business situation since July 1 will show generally in this market, as compared with last year, increased sales, improved collections and a more hopeful feeling.

The reduction in prices from those of a year ago has had its effect in diminishing the sales in dollars and cents, but there is no doubt that there has been an increased shipment of goods which, at old prices, would have been most encouraging.

There is now, of course, on the part of many, a curiosity to know what effect the new tariff will have on prices. This can be easily surmised if not positively answered by a reference to the invoices of a year's business and a comparison of to day's costs with those of a year ago. The reduction of values, it is easy to see, has been going on for a long time and the effects of a reduced tariff have been very largely anticipated.
We are informed that to-day steel

We are informed that to-day steel billets are as low in this country as in Europe, and the majority of staple manufactured goods are lower to-day than they perhaps will be six months from now, provided a good demand starts up, of which there is every indi-cation.

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Certain goods, such as celebrated brands of cutlery, which had been practically prohibited under the Mc-



Kinley bill would now approximate somewhat old prices, but we do not anticipate the supplanting by foreign makers the productions of our own manufacturers, when they have secured the advantages of cheap raw material to add to their own originality of de-sign and superiority of finish and packing.

We look for no great rush of trade,

no spasmodic boom, but we do expect a general improvement, the result of a feeling that values will now be stable and that stocks, which during the agi-tation of the tariff had been reduced to the absolute requirements of daily con-

sumption, can now be replenished with-out danger of depreciation.

With the exception of perhaps a discussion of the supplementary bills passed by the last House, it is not likely that tariff legislation will again soon disturb the commerce, foreign or do mestic, of this country, and the attention of our people can now be turned most profitably to a campaign in the interest of political morality and in an effort to show that the institutions of this country are stronger than the trusts, which if they have not created, they have at least permitted.

Louisville.

W. B. BELKNAP & Co.-It is gratifying to note an improvement in business, more marked than anything experienced for over a year. The tariff bill result was discounted a couple of weeks before it finally became a law, and with the expectation of fair crops and the conviction that prices were at their lowest and that there was no surplus manufactured material in the country, a good healthy demand sprung up, which has been maintained. Of course there is a good deal of "slack" to be taken up, so to speak, resulting from the enforced idleness of the summer and the very greatly reduced producing capacity in operation.

But the demand, if it maintains the present proportions or increases, as may reasonably be expected as the season advances, since factories are opening and new enterprises broached, opening and new enterprises broached, will call for part at least of the productive capacity now unused, or certainly so much of it as is favorably situated to make goods at the lowest possible price and to distribute them at minimum cost. at minimum cost.

The Ohio Falls Car Works here (or just across the river at Jeffersonville) have secured the Pennsylvania contract for 500 cars, and consequently the Ohio Falls Iron Works of New Albany have secured the order for the iron. With these two large local concerns at work, the outlook is much improved for the

One specially encouraging feature of the demand is the fact that it is not confined to farm supplies or construct-ive material, which has been the mainstay of business of late, but many tools are being sold which people do not buy for anything but actual use in hand. When a man pays for a new Hatchet or Saw, we are confident that it is going to be immediately used and

nt is going to be immediately used and not hung up for future reference.

In short, everything points to better times or more active business at least, at established prices. It may be some time before we should be able to mark edvances of any size.

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There is confessedly a scarcity of goods in many lines, factories are slow in filling assorted orders or large ones.
Delay at the factory is most amply seconded by delay in transit. The railroads were never more slow or unsatisfactory in their deliveries than at present and the railroad tracer is the most numerous document of the day.

In local financial circles the release of large quantities of whisky from bond was most noteworthy, the revenue paid in here to the Government in a week or ten days was between \$3,-000,000 and \$4,000,000.

Philadelphia.

HARDWARE COMPANY. SUPPLEE At Last! Notwithstanding that the chances are that others may touch on this same subject, we feel inclined to give vent to the above expression concerning the new tariff bill, which has become a part and parcel of our laws since our last report. A bill which, if picked to pieces, would be the choice of none, but nevertheless we feel the choice of all in preference to the uncertainty and tariff tinkering we have been doctored with for months past.

Fortunately during the month of August, more especially during the latter part, a slight improvement over the corresponding period of past years' specifications that our representatives

had been sending in is noticeable.
While the orders fail to show that snap in business we have looked for, still we can see a call for a more general line of goods. The proportion of seasonable goods, however, is greater than during years of general prosperity, Builders' Hardware, Mechanics' Tools, &c., at such times being in more general demand.

Prices seem to be holding their own, an exceedingly small number of changes being noted, and changes that are being for small lines and special-

One encouraging local sign with us is the renewed activity at the shops of the Baldwin Locomotive works. In departments where hours of work for some months past have been from eight until four p. m., and then for an average of about three days a week, the past week has seen increased forces at work full time daily. It may be only a slight sign of im-

rovement, but certainly an encourag-

ing one to note.
Collections on the average have been

Notes on Prices.

Wire Nails.—There continues to be a good demand for Wire Nails, and the aggregate of business during the past week has been fair. Some of the large buyers have been placing orders, but a good proportion of the business is from comparatively small houses, who are purchasing in moderate lots. Quotations for carload lots at mill are on a basis of \$1 to \$1.05, the former figure being obtainable on good orders. Small lots from store in New York are quoted at \$1.25.

Chicago, by Telegraph.—Transactions are very much more numerous and while the volume of business is possibly still below the total production of all the factories in operation, yet inquiries are of such a character that the trade may be expected shortly to take the entire output. Thus far there has been no speculative buying. Some little irregularity has been noted in prices owing to efforts to market job lots of Nails not made by the standard mills, but the trade in general has not been affected and prices are steady at \$1 at Ohio mills. Chicago rates are \$1.10 to \$1.15 for factory lots. Jobbers quote small lots from stock at \$1.15.

Cut Nails.—A fair business is doing in Cut Nails, the price remaining substantially as at our last report. The Eastern market is represented by the quotation of 90 to 95 cents for carload lots on dock. The store price in New York for small lots is \$1.05 to \$1.10.

Chicago, by Telegraph.—The Lakeside factory was obliged to shut down on account of a fire which destroyed a portion of their boiler house, but the works will soon be running again. The month of August appears to have been quite a fair month for the local trade. Orders were not large but steady, and business will probably continue running in the same way during the current month. Factory lots are quoted at 95 cents, Chicago, for 60 cent average, and small lots from stock at \$1.10 to \$1.15.

Barb Wire.—The Barb Wire market continues without special features, the demand being moderate and prices steady. The market is represented by the following quotations for Four Point Galvanized, delivered at the points named: Pittsburgh, \$2 to \$2.05; Cleveland, \$2.05 to \$2.10; Cincinnati, Allentown, Chicago, or New York, \$2.20 to \$2.25.

Chicago, by Telegraph. - Mail orders show a steady increase on manufacturers' desks. These are generally small, but here and there a country merchant is found with sufficient faith in the future to purchase 50 to 100 tons. Prices show no indication of weakness. It is the opinion of the trade that the manufacturers are working more harmoniously than at any time in the past. Jobbers report a fair demand from stock. Prices are still quoted at \$2.35 for small lots of Galvanized, with 10 cents off for carloads.

Major's Ice Float.—This device was described in our last issue as put on the market by A. Major, 232 William street, New York. The Float is sold to the trade at the following net prices:

For Coolers 6, 7 and 8 inches in diameter...... \$1.00 For Coolers 9 and 10 inches in diameter..... For Coolers 11 and 12 inches in diam-1.25 eter...... For Coolers 13 and 14 inches in diam-higher prices.

Glass. -It is reported that at a conference held in Pittsburgh on September 3 between the Western Window Glass Manufacturers' Association and the Glass Workers' Wage Committee a scale of wages was agreed to for the season of 1894-95. According to the report the workers accept a reduction of 221 per cent. in wages from last year's scale, the reduction being necessary to meet the lower tariff. It is stated that the settlement will apply to

the Eastern Glass plants as well as to these in the West, and that factories will be started immediately. There has not been any change in quotations up to the present time. Plate Glass facto ries have been in operation for the past three months with a fair demand for their product. It is too soon to decide whether the reduction of duties will have any immediate effect upon prices of Plate Glass in the Eastern markets. Pittsburgh quotations on Window Glass are as follows: Single strength 85 and 5 per cent. discount; double strength 85 and 10 per cent. discount. Plate Glass is quoted at 70 to 70 and 10 per cent. discount from Eastern list, according to the size of Glass, and from 70 and 5 to 60 and 20 per cent. discount from Western list, according to size of Glass.

The Hardware Club.

T A SPECIAL MEETING of the Board of Governors of the Hardware Club of New York, held Friday, August 31, the following gentlemen were elected members:

STEPHEN B. ALLER.

111 Liberty street, New York. WILLIAM L. BRIGGS,

25 Murray street, New York.

ANTHONY H. CREAGH, Metropolitan Life Insurance Com-

pany, New York.

WILLIAM ERDTMANN,

Equitable Life Assurance Society, New York.

CHARLES P. FRALEIGH,

261 Broadway, New York.

FRANK W. GARVIN,

Garvin Machine Company, New York.

PAUL GOEPEL,

280 Broadway, New York. FRANK W. GOODWIN,

Bradley & Hubbard Mfg. Com-

pany, New York.

W. W. HALLOCK,

Tribune Building, New York. CHARLES MATTHEW MARVIN,

261 Broadway, New York.

JOHN W. MASON,

142 Duane street, New York.

WILLIAM P. MASON,

142 Duane street, New York. H. T. PATTERSON,

Patterson, Gottfried & Hunter, New York.

ALFRED B. SCOTT.

415 Pearl street, New York.

FRANK H. THOMPSON,

Stanley Rule & Level Company, New York.

DONALD B. TOUCEY,

261 Broadway, New York.

WILLIAM H. WOOLWORTH,

New York Transfer Company, New York.

The Chief of Naval Ordnance has postponed the test of small arms for the navy until October 1, owing to the weapons of the competing manu-facturers not being ready on Septem-ber 1—the day originally fixed for commencing the trials.

New Tariff The on Cutlery.

THE QUESTION as to the effect of the new tariff on Cutlery is one of a good deal of importance to the trade, as in some lines important changes are made which will result in reductions in prices. Others are, however, unaffected directly by the new law. What the course of the market in the matter of foreign costs will be cannot be foretold, but some importers, as well as American manufacturers, are anticipating an advance on the other side which will have the effect of preventing some goods from being as much reduced in price as would otherwise be the case. The disposition of importers to hold goods at a somewhat larger margin of profit than has recently been realized will also have some influence in preventing the tradefrom receiving at once the full benefit of the diminished duties.

Shears and Scissors.

In these lines of goods no change will result from the revised tariff, the duty being the same as under the McKinley bill, namely, 45 per cent. ad valorem.

Razors

It is not expected that the prices of Razors of good quality will be materially affected by the new bill, on which there is simply an ad valorem duty of 45 per cent., instead of a specific duty of \$1.75 per dozen and 30 per cent. ad valorem in the McKinley bill. Cheap Razors, however, will probably be sold at somewhat lower figures, as under the new bill they are subject to a duty of 45 per cent. ad valorem, instead of 30 per cent. ad valorem and \$1 per dozen under the McKinley bill.

Pocket Cutlery.

The changes made in the duties on Pocket Cutlery are quite radical and indicate reduced prices on all goods. It is impossible to express these reductions by a general percentage, as the reductions will be greater on some goods than on others. For example, on the very cheapest goods, those costing abroad not exceeding 30 cents per dozen, the new duty is 25 per cent. ad valorem, instead of 12 cents per dozen specific and 50 per cent. ad valorem under the McKinley tariff. Under the former law a Knife costing abroad 30 cents per dozen called for a duty of 27 cents, making a total of 57 cents (foreign cost and duty), while the same Knife now is subject to a duty of only 71/2 cents, making a total of 371/2 cents, a reduction of 331/3 per cent. On the high priced goods, the foreign cost of which is more than \$3 per dozen, the percentage of reduction in duty will depend on the value of the Knife, as this class of goods is now subject to a simple

of a specific duty of \$2 per dozen and an ad valorem duty of 50 per cent. Under this provision all goods costing abroad \$3 or more can be imported at \$2 per dozen less than heretofore, permitting a large proportionate reduction in the prices of goods costing abroad \$3 or a little more, while on the finer and more expensive goods the proportionate reduction will obviously be less. On goods, the foreign cost of which is 50 cents per dozen or less, a reduction of nearly 15 per cent. is permitted by the new tariff, and on many of the medium priced goods a reduction of from 15 to 25 per cent. may be made.

It is not, however, to be expected that the prices of Pocket Cutlery will immediately show so large reductions as the above figures might suggest, as there are several influences which may tend to prevent so marked a decline, and importers express the opinion that the reduction in the price will be about 10 to 15 per cent. It is thought not unlikely that foreign costs will be advanced, especially in view of the fact that when the McKinley bill went into operation reductions were made in many cases in wages, which it is thought may again be advanced on such goods. The foreign manufacturers also have undoubtedly in some cases been selling certain patterns at exceedingly close margins, and they will be prompt to advance their prices as soon as the condition of the market here will permit it. For these reasons well informed manufacturers on this side, as well as importers, consider it not unlikely that somewhat higher prices will prevail on such patterns of Pocket Cutlery as were forced down in price under the McKinley tariff. It is also thought that some improvement in the quality of imported goods may result. There is no doubt that when the McKinley bill went into operation many patterns of Pocket Knives were cheapened at the expense of quality, the general appearance and style being retained so successfully as to deceive the trade. Under the new law importers consider it probable that such economies, which were in a sense necessitated by the Mc-Kinley law, will be in many cases discontinued and better goods turned out. It is also expected that there will be a relatively larger quantity of fine Pocket Cutlery imported than has heretofore been the case.

Another influence which will operate against as heavy a reduction in the price of the goods as might otherwise be the case is the fact that the importers who have stocks of goods on hand will naturally be disposed to sell them at as remunerative prices as possible, and while prices on all imported Pocket Cutlery will be marked down, it is not to be expected that the trade will be given the full benefit of the reductions permitted on new importations by the revised tariff, especially in view of the fact that the importers have more or less goods on hand which were brought in under the ad valorem duty of 50 per cent. instead | higher duties of the old law. While

the stocks of Cutlery in importers' hands are not heavy, this consideration will have some effect in keeping up the price for the present. There is also some difficulty experienced in getting goods through the custom house at the present time, on account of the congested condition of things there owing to the enormous quantities of goods which are being entered. There is also a quickening in the demand for Cutlery, and importers who have goods in stock are holding them with some firmness. It should also be remembered that in anticipation of the reduced tariff on this line of goods importers have for some time been working down their stock as much as possible, and in order to accomplish this have been shading their regular prices, so that in many cases the figures which during the past few months have been made in Pocket Cutlery are lower than were justified by the cost of the goods under the McKinley tariff, and in such cases should not be taken as a basis for estimating prices under the new tariff.

Table Cutlery.

It is not thought that the new tariff will have an important effect on the Table Cutlery market, which is firmly held by the American manufacturers. Importers refer to the new duties as perhaps helping them a little on the medium grades, but it is not at all likely that foreign Table Cutlery will come in in any large quantities or that any important changes in the price of domestic goods will result from the new duties.

Outside Business.

THIS is the last time I will ever interest myse!f in any outside business, and I will never loan another dollar to any one, be he friend or stranger, unless good collaterals are placed in my hands."

The speaker was a middle aged Hardware jobber, who had just been telling us of his losses in connection with a recent failure of considerable prominence.

"I had unlimited confidence in the honor of the man at the head of that concern," he continued. "I stood by him long after his credit was gone with others, and as a consequence I am just so much more a loser. I have had my fill. Hereafter I will attend strictly to my own business, and the man does not live who can get a dollar from me, except on good collateral. It does not do to bank on friendship, honor or confidence. Good collaterals will be good enough for me hereafter."

Almost every successful man sees the hour when he is ready to say, and does say, just what we heard above. If he is making more money than he needs in his own business his instinct leads him to use his surplus elsewhere at a profit. He has his favorite investment stock, or quietly buys notes or loans to others.

For a time dividends come along pleasantly, loans are repaid with inter-

est and he is pleased at his outside income. Then come offers to take stock in new enterprises, always pictured in the most rose colored light, or a man in whom he has unbounded confidence wants a little help. The monied man subscribes for some stock, he lends money to his friend, only to find that it is necessary to take more stock or lend more cash to save what was first invested, and in the end to lose all.

Then follows the reaction. He is ready to vow, and does vow, that never again will he take stock in anything, and will lend no money unless secured by Government bonds. He usually keeps his vow, and the result is that a great many good things pass by his door, but they tempt the man that has not yet had this experience, while he pities the conservative fellow down the way who turned his face against so good a thing.

In this way history continually repeats itself. Not all the new ventures, however, prove failures, nor is every loan a loss. If they were business would come to a standstill. The new company that Conservatism would not even consider is not infrequently the one that enriches all who entered it at its commencement, and the effect of one such brilliant success in the business world will outweigh many failures.

Yet the constant experience of the vast majority of successful business is embodied in the homely old proverb, "Shoemaker, stick to your last!"

Trade Items.

B. KRUG & CO., have established themselves at 88 Chambers street, New York, and will represent the following manufacturers, we are told, as agents for New York and nearby trade—viz.: C. Hammond & Son, Hatchets; William Schmitt, Mechanics' Tools; Eugene Conard & Sons, Handles and Mallets and Irwin Auger Bits. A stock of the goods will be kept on the premises for immediate delivery. Mr. Krug has been 12 years with the firm of F. R. Emmons & Bio., 21 Warren street, we are informed.

KEYLESS LOCK COMPANY, Indianapolis, Ind., manufacturers of Cabinet Locks and Post Office Outfits, have opened a New York headquarters at 88 Chambers street in charge of J. L. Clough, vice-president and Eastern manager. This office will look after the trade in the Eastern, Middle and South Atlantic States east of Pennsylvania, the latter included. The Locks made by this company are of brass and have two dials, each of which has 24 letters. The space between each letter is again divided into four parts, making in all, it is said, a total of 9216 possible combinations.

CAMPBELL ELECTRICAL SUPPLY COMPANY, Boston. Mass., manufacturers
of Century Wire, Paint and Tapes,
&c., have now a New York office at 88
Chambers street, under the management of Charles A. Newton. This
branch will care for the company's interests in New York and parts of Connecticut, New Jersey and northern
Pennsylvania. Among a number of
specialties handled by this concern
may be mentioned Feeder Wire and
Cables, Line Wire, Rubber Wire,
Underground and Submarine Cables,
Insulating Paints, &c.

Samuel A. Haines of S. A. Haines Company, Indianapolis, Ind., returned to this country on the "Furest Bismarck," August 31, from a business trip to the United Kingdom and continent of Europe, begun July 2 last. He went over in the interest of a number of manufacturing concerns represented by his campany, including among others Eclipse Bicycle Company, Dille & McGuire Mfg. Company, The Irwin Auger Bit Company and Hatch Cutlery Company. He expresses himself as satisfied with the business accomplished and believes the door has been opened through which to increase the volume of their export trade. He received an order by mail for goods on his arrival which he thinks came on the same steamer, in addition to another order awaiting his arrival for Bicycles for the Russian market.

Branson & Near, Cleveland, Ohio, and New York, have changed their address, and are now located at 35 Warren street, New York. Among other goods they are representing the Bread and Cake, Paring and Coring Knives manufactured by Chas. F. Spery & Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Cooking by Electricity. It is stated that the ratio of cost of

heat for cooking purposes as delivered from central electric stations by means of electrical appliances, which convert electricity into heat at any point desired, has been reduced until it now compares with heat produced by burning coal in cooking ranges as seven to four. That is to say, heat for cooking can now be obtained from electrical currents at somewhat less than twice the cost of ordinary fuel used for the same purpose. Probably this estimate is only justified by taking into account the heat wasted in getting coal fires. into condition for cooking and that. which also wastes while the fire is going out. The advocates of the newermethod hold that electricity is hereafter to be a more or less formidable rival to gas for summer use in cooking. Although with the modern improved gas. stoves most excellent work in all kinds of cooking, from broiling to baking, is possible, there are those who have used both systems who confidently assert that, as compared with results obtained n electric cooking, gas is inferior. this assertion be true (which many who have used gas stoves will hardly think possible), it can only be accounted for by the accurate regulation of tempera-ture which electric heating apparatus permits. Yet the temperature of ovens in gas stoves can now be regulated with such precision as seemingly to nothing further to be desired, and hence we are disposed to discredit statements as to the great superiority of electric cooking as compared with that done in gas stoves. It is hardly possible that in point of cleanliness the electric cooking apparatus can exceed in any notable degree the best types of gas stoves, since all the dirt that accumulates about either of them results from drippings from the arti-cles cooked upon them, these being more or less according as the operator is careful or otherwise. There is, seemingly, a tone of exaggeration in many the statements made and published with reference to electric cooking. Probably these are attributable partly to the zeal of those who are commer-cially interested in the manufacture and sale of electric cooking apparatus, and partly to the enthusiasm of those whose interest in a novel method somewhat beclouds their judgment.

Hardware Curios.

HE ACCOMPANYING ILLUS-TRATIONS represent some of the old time Hardware in the possession of H. C. Wiseman of

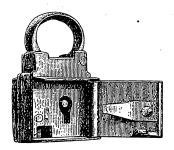


Fig. 1.—Hand Wrought German Padlock.

the Springfield Hardware Company, Springfield, Ohio, who for a number of nearly 100 years of service, according to its former possessor. The blade is of wonderful temper, and the Knife is still in very good condition.

shown in Fig. 6, which is as curious as the Lock itself. The Key in Fig. 7 measures 71/2 inches in length, and the ring handle 4 inches in diameter. The

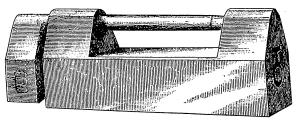


Fig. 4.—Chinese Brass Padlock.

The old wrought iron dip Lamp will be recognized by many who were in business half a century ago. This is one of half a dozen Lamps taken from an old stock of Hardware two years ago in the original package, and had

Key controlled the front door Lock to an ancient business block for a long series of years and until the block was replaced by the handsome bank building which now covers the ground.

The little screw barrel Gun, measuring 5 inches over all, as illustrated in Fig. 8, dates back to 1845, and is still good for muzzle loading service. It was taken from a tramp lodged in a station house nearly 15 years ago and is one of a number still in existence. Included in this collection of old time Hardware is a 6 x 10 inch rim Door Lock; Lull



years has gathered together any quaint pieces of old Hardware that have come in his way.

The iron hand-wrought German Padlock of 70 years ago, shown full size in Fig. 1, has a spring door covering the key hole, making it a secret Lock. It is in as good condition as been handed down in the one store for nearly 50 years.

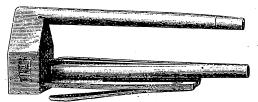


Fig. 5.—Shackle of Chinese Padlock,

Figs. 4, 5 and 6 represent a genuine | & Porter Blind Hinges, weighing 8 Chinese Padlock, a veritable curiosity | pounds to the single pair; Wood



Fig. 6.—Key for Chinese Padlock.

in shape and mechanism, but embody- | Screws made without gimlet points; ing good mechanical principles in con- | a United States Mail Lock of 1829, with

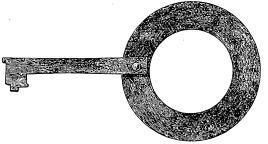


Fig. 7.—An Ancient Key.

struction. The Lock was bought from five tumbler inside brass work, and a Chinaman some years ago, being | some old Pistols, among which is one



taken from his chest directly after | with the words "Deringe, rPhiladelwith the blade open, and has seen landing. It has a folding key, as phia" stamped on the lock and barrel,



Fig. 3.—Grandmother's Best Lamp.

when made, and was brought to this country on a German chest nearly 60 years ago.

The old time Pocket Knife shown in Fig. 2 measures 61/2 inches in length

Letters from the Trade.

Our readers are invited to discuss in these columns questions of trade interest connected with the manufacture or sale of Hardware. We shall be pleased to have a free expression of opinion on subjects deserving the attention of Hardware merchants and manufacturers.

A reader of The Iron Age relates the following incident showing why a gentleman representing a number of manufacturers refused to cut the price upon a line of goods, the selling price of which was left discretionary with him:

An offer was made by a buyer for a good sized bill of goods at 5 per cent. discount below the regular price, which the representative refused to accept, as he did not believe the man-ufacturer could fill the order at the price offered and make any money after paying the commission for selling. It was apparent that the buyer would expect the same price on all subsequent orders for the same goods, besides claiming a rebate on bills of the same goods which were still unthe same goods which were still un-paid. Then again other manufacturpaid. Then again other manufacturers would meet the cut price as soon as they learned of it, and thus demoralize the market.

The representative believes more injury has been done to the Hardware trade by manufacturers or their selling agents making cut prices, which soon become permanent prices, for the sake of obtaining orders, than in any other wav.

Fishing Tackle.

A Western retailer thus writes in regard to the desirability of Fishing Tackle being handled by Hardware merchants, and at the same time refers to some of the features of this class of trade:

I am surprised that so few retail Hardware dealers make a purh on Fishing Tackle. There is a disposition to leave this branch to the gunsmith, but

in my opinion it is a great mistake.

The time was, and not so very long ago. when an ordinary stock of Tackle for a retail store consisted of a few cheap lines, a few boxes of common hooks, some sinkers and floats. A bill that ran up to \$5 was a very good one

that ran up to \$5 was a very good one. But the growth of the idea of summer vacations and the greater interest taken in all outdoor recreations have led to the increase of fishing to a wonderful degree and has made Tackle an important item.

important item.

Twenty-five years ago the man with a jointed rod was a rarity, now the very smallest boy has to have one. The angle worm of our boyhood has given way to the minnow and fly and to all manner and kinds of artificial baits. Nothing in hooks used to be known but a Limerick, but now the young fellow talks about Carlisle, Sproat and Cincinnati Bass hooks with the same air that he discussed the best brand of air that he discussed the best brand of

air that he discussed the best brand of chewing gum.

Prices in what used to be luxuries (Rods and Reels) have dropped down faster than almost any item in our line.

The factories sell a three piece ash rod for 75 cents per dozen. The result of this has been to about kill our trade in Japanese and Calcutta bamboo poles.

We have a plain Reel at 60 cents per We buy a plain Reel at 60 cents per dozen. None of us imagined ten years ago that we would see prices touch these figures—a jointed Rod and Reel

to cost us 11 cents.

Lines have dropped in proportion, so that we can sell a braided Line for a

In the matter of artificial baits prices are also phenomenally low. We buy a good plated Spoon Hook with fly at 5 cents. Rubber Minnows are down to 22 cents.

Now, with these low costs, and the spirit among men and boys to have good tackle, there is nothing in a Hardware store that will better pay for the work put into it than this line.

The person who is going fishing wants to catch some fish. He knows that fish are creatures of whim and fancy. What they eagerly bit at yesterday they will not touch to-morrow. Consequently it is comparatively easy to coax a man who is going fishing into trying a wider variety of baits than he intended, and it will be still easier to do this the next time he calls, for he will see others catching more fish than he succeeds in capturing, and fish than he succeeds in capturing, and ten chances to one he gives all the credit to the particular hook or bait they used.

It is a pleasant business. It is at its best in the hot summer months when other branches are dull. The fisher-men of the town include the very nicest people there, and they are pleas-ant customers to trade with. Above and beyond this is the fact that it pays,

and pays handsomely.

If stock is carried over it is just as salable a year from now, and the judicious buyer will remember that it is easy to replenish, and need not invest very heavily at the start. The trade belongs to the Hardware line. If you are not "in it" you are making a mis-

A Home Made Bicycle.

LAWRENCE \mathbf{of} Sheboygan, Wis., has arranged in one of his show windows a Bicycle and rider composed of Hardware articles, which attracted a great deal of attenwhich attracted a great deal of attention. In construction it is similar to "Household Wants, '95 Model," illustrated in *The Iron Age*, July 26, 1894. Two grindstones compose the wheels of the machine; shovels, an axe handle and hay fork form the frame and seat; a drawing knife serves for headle have readely are of meet, cutter and seat; pedals are of meat cutter handles; trace chain for chain, and a common bull's eye lantern is used for the head light. The rider has stove pipe legs, feet of scoops and pint cups; body of three wash basins, a pail, pie plate, scoop and a two quart pan; arms of conductor pipe, with scoops on the shoulders for epaulets; weeders for hands; two quart pans for a face, with can screws for eyes, coffee pot spout for nose and half of a patty pan for a mouth

Price-Lists, Circulars, &c.

THE WILLIAM SCHOLLHORN COMPANY, New Haven, Conn., for whom Julius Berbecker & Co., New York, are agents: Shears, Scissors and Pliers. An illustrated catalogue and price-list show lines of Star Scissors and Shears; also Star Pruning Shears, together with a line of Elm City Shears. The Bernard Pliers are illustrated in a variety of styles and sizes; also Folding Dividers and Pencil Holders, the latter to be attached to Compasses. The manu HE WILLIAM SCHOLLHORN attached to Compasses. The manu facturers have enlarged their facilities with improved machinery and Tools.

THE YALE & TOWNE MFG. COMPANY, Stamford, Conn., and New York: Chain Blocks. A circular gives a com-parative price-list of three varieties of Blocks—Weston's Differential, Duplex Screw and Triplex Spur Gear, up to 2 tons' capacity.

BUFFALO WIRE WORKS, Scheeler & Sons, Buffalo, N. Y.: Wire Chairs and Settees. A circular illustrates Settees and Chairs made of wrought iron, wire and malleable iron. The point is made that they are lighter, stronger, more durable and ornamental than the regular cast iron or wood, the former being assily broken by frost or by fallbeing easily broken by frost or by fall-

WILLIAM FRANKFURTH HARDWARE COMPANY, Milwaukee, Wis.: Fall Price Current of Hardware, Novelties, House Furnishing Goods and Cutlery. The book, containing 79 pages, illustrates, with list prices, Skates, Oil Heating Stoves, Corn Knives and Huskers, Apple Parers, Meat Cutters, Oil Cans, Axes Wood and Cross Cut Saws, Hay Knives, Snow Shovels, Lanterns, Lamps, Ammunition, Butcher Knives. Scissors. munition, Butcher Knives, Scissors,

THE CHICAGO STAMPING COMPANY, Congress and Green streets, Chicago: Illustrated circular of Oil Cans. The styles shown are the Chicago Oil and Gasoline 5-gallon can, made of galvanized iron with a colored label lithographed on the iron, and provided with a faucet; the Rival, which is the same Can, made with a spout; plain galvanized 5-gallon Cans, with faucet or spout; the Rex 1-gallon Can, with galvanized top; the Queen 1-gallon Can, with tin top; the Beauty 1 gallon Can, made of sheet steel, japanned in colors, and tin Oil Cans of ½ gallon to 2-gallons capacity.

It Is Reported—

California.

That Robert Moore of Lemoore re-cently suffered damage from fire. The loss on building is estimated at \$1200, with insurance of \$800; and the loss on stock at \$2800, with insurance of \$2000.

Connecticut.

That Charles B. Holcomb of TARIFF-VILLE has moved his Hardware and Stove business to the Bolles Block on Main street.

Florida.

That C. F. Hamblen, Hardware, &c., St. Augustine, will soon take possession of his new establishment on Hospital street.

That the Builders' Supply Company

of St. Augustine have increased their capital stock from \$25,000 to \$50,000.

That the Upson Hardware Company of Windemere will establish saw and planing mills.

Illinois.

That fire broke out on the night of the 29th ult. in the Hardware and Implement building of James Fowley, Cobden, destroying it completely.

That Allen, Myers & Co., Rock Island, have been incorporated, with a capital stock of \$10,000, to conduct the Hardware, general construction and contracting business. The incorporators are Edward M. Allen, William Myers and Frederick B. Myers.

Indiana.

That the Hardware store of James & Combs, Jonesboro, has been disposed of to Lee Davisson.

That A. E. Rea of Corydon has purchased J. W. Young's Hardware store at MEDIAPOLIS.



That Geo. Haw & Co. have commenced the erection of a new store at Ottumwa. The building will be 44 feet wide, four stories high and over 100 feet in length.

That M. Maher & Son, Sabula, Jackson County, are contemplating raising part of their Hardware store and making it two stories. They will also put in an elevator and move their tin shop to the upper floor. Their increasing trade requires this enlarge-

tin shop to the upper floor. Their increasing trade requires this enlargement of their facilities.

That H. S. Hunter of Plainfield has taken possession of his new Hardware building. The new quarters are handsome and commodious.

That Townsley & Moore of Oakland have removed to new quarters in that place.

That fire destroyed the building and part of the stock of Hardware of Chandler & Barren, ESTHERVILLE, on the 22d ult. The loss is \$5000, covered by insurance.

That Haynes & Stevens, WILLIAMS, have bought the Hardware stock and building of Gerber & De France, and have taken possession.

Kansas.

That John Brunny will soon open up a Hardware store at FORT SCOTT, having severed his connection with the Warn Hardware Company.

Massachusetts.
That H. A. Chapman & Co., Hardware and Tin, Fitchburg, have sold out to Milton A. Lackey & Co.

Michigan. That S. Gaubatz has opened a new Hardware store in the Pomeroy Building on River street, Manistee.

Minnesota.

That the copartnership now existing between John Karst and John J. Karst, under the firm name of the Eagle Hardware Company, STILL-WATER, will be dissolved on January 10, 1205

19, 1895. That J. That J. B. Rossman, Hardware dealer at HAMLINE, recently had a fire

That H. C. McLean has sold his interest in the Hardware firm of McLean & Hamlin, at Lake Crystal, to Andrew Hamlin. The firm will hereafter be known as E. C. Hamlin & Co.

Mississippi.
That William Jenkins has sold his large Hardware store at OXFORD to the Oxford Mercantile Company, composed of Benjamin Price, David Carter, D. L. Sultan, Andrew Owen and others.

New York.
That George P. Brand & Son is the style of a new Hardware concern at SILVER CREEK.

North Dakota.

That R. S. Timmins is now running two Hardware stores at HARLEM.

Ohio.

That Church & Weld's Hardware store, at MARYSVILLE, was robbed on the 23d ult.

That Kennedy & Garver are soon to enter the Hardware business at Col-LEGE CORNER.

Rhode Island.

That the John D. Sawyer Company, PAWTUCKET, have been succeeded by the Sawyer Hardware & Supply Company. The business will be conducted under the same management as heretofore, with John D. Sawyer as general manager. eral manager.

South Dakota.

That S. B. Simonson is closing out bis Hardware stock at VERMILLION.

Tennessee.

That the new brick storehouse of Brown & Greer, on Court House Square, Loudon, is nearly completed. That Miner & Sprague is the name

of a new Hardware store at WINCHES-

Texas.

Texas.
That George A. Morris, trustee, has sold the J. R. Morris Sons' Hardware stock, at Houston, to Mrs. H. C. Morris for \$26,500. The sale includes also the fixtures in the store. The business will be continued by a corporation to be known as the J. R. Morris Hardware Company.

West Virginia.
That Greer & Laing of Wheeling have been incorporated under the style

every \(\frac{1}{3} \) inch of its length, while the crew fills in the finer measurements. It is explained that from 4 inches to 111 inches requires three extension rods. For lengths above 11½ inches an extension sleeve is screwed on to the microm-eter head providing for a greater range to telescope longer rods and requiring less of them, four from 111 inches to 30 inches, two of which are made to couple together, thus taking less room. A binding screw locks the



Starrett's Inside Micrometer.

of Greer & Laing Company. The authorized capital is \$500,000. The incorporators are Alexander Laing, Barkley Cooper and Charles Tracey of Wheeling. Jacob R. Greer of Pasadena, Cal., and David B. McIlwaine of New York City.

The Hardware trade throughout the country are requested to report business changes, improvements and other matters of trade interest suitable for mention in this department.

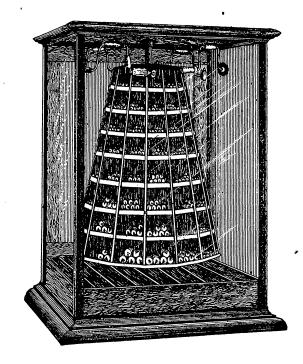
Starrett's Inside Micrometer.

The accompanying cut represents an inside micrometer, put on the market

micrometer to prevent accidental movements after the tool is set. It is stated that all wearing parts are hardened, and are also provided with an adjustment to compensate for wear.

Herrick's Auger and Auger Bit Case.

The accompanying cut represents a case for holding augers and auger bits, of-fered by F. A. Herrick & Co., Jackson, Mich. The case is made and finished in antique oak, with glass sides. revolving pyramid for holding bits is made of sheet iron and Georgia pine; the iron being japanned and the wood oiled and varnished. Large bits are accommodated at the bottom and



Herrick's Auger and Auger Bit Case.

by the L. S. Starrett Company, Athol, Mass. The instrument is designed for micrometer measurements reading Totor with 1/2-inch movement of the screw. V-shaped grooves are cut in the measuring rods accurately spaced 1 inch apart, and the rods are held in the micrometer head by a spring pin fitting the grooves, giving a structure atopting point for giving a standard starting point for

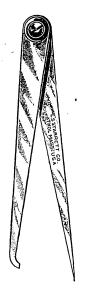
smaller ones above. There are 128 bins, holding 768 augers and various kinds of bits, designed to hold the following kinds and quantities of each: Nut augers, one-half dozen each, from 1 inch to 2 inches: Russell Joseph inch to 2 inches; Russell Jennings or other bits, one half dozen each, from $\frac{4}{16}$ to $\frac{18}{6}$; common or other bits, one-half dezen each, from $\frac{4}{16}$ to $\frac{18}{18}$; Syra-



cuse bits, one-half dozen each, from \(\frac{4}{16} \) to \(\frac{18}{18} \); twist drill bits, one-half dozen each, from \(\frac{1}{18} \); to \(\frac{1}{20} \); double cut gimlet bits, one half dozen each, from \(\frac{1}{32} \) and German gimlet bits, one-half dozen, from \(\frac{1}{32} \) to \(\frac{1}{32} \). Also four bips for reamers of different kinds and sizes; four bins for screw driver bits; four bins for nail sets; four bins for countersink bits; four bins for solid punches; four bins for belt punches and 18 bins for other kinds of bits, &c., not already enumerated. Gummed labels are furnished to put on the front of each bin, whereby the size, kind and price of bits may be marked by the dealer. The manufacturers claim that the bits being inclosed do not get soiled or rusty, that the case solves the problem of how to keep a well assorted stock of augers and bits in the smallest amount of space, displaying them to the best advantage, and that when filled the case presents an attractive appearance, and certainly will increase sales.

Starrett's Hermaphrodite Calipers.

The L. S. Starrett Company, Athol, Mass., are offering firm joint calipers, as shown herewith. The caliper has the improved joint of the company's No. 26 outside and No. 27 inside calipers. The joint is so made as to be drawn together by means of a screw forcing a washer on to a squared end of the main



Starrett's Hermaphrodite Calipers.

rivet, which extends through the legs, thus clamping them together between bearings so shaped, it is stated, as to insure a smooth and uniform friction of more or less tension, to suit the user. The point is made that the quality of these tools is superior to that of old style riveted joint calipers.

The McCabe Ball Bearing Tubular Door Hanger.

The McCabe Mfg. Company, 256-257 Broadway, New York, are offering the hanger and track illustrated in the accompanying cuts. Fig. 1 illustrates the hanger, track and door plate. The tube or track is made from one piece of turned steel, with an opening at the bottom, with a bracket for holding the track. After the brackets are screwed to the spreader, Fig. 2, the track is inserted in the brackets so that the hole

in the center of the tube admits of the | The ball, Fig. 1, is composed of two insertion of a screw driver to raise or | hemispherical cones, between which is

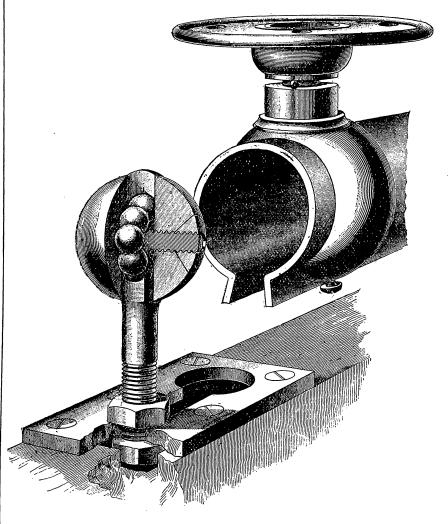


Fig. 1.—The McCabe Ball Bearing Tubular Door Hanger.

lower the track. The hanger or carriage consists of a steel ball $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches | a hanging strap and seven universal riage consists of a steel ball $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches | chilled steel balls, the balls turning on

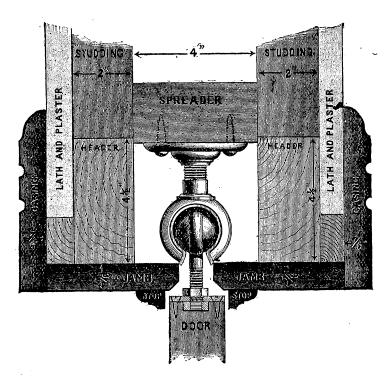


Fig. 2.—Position of the Track Over the Door.

to the spreader, Fig. 2, the track is inserted in the brackets so that the hole pose of reducing friction to a minimum. the cones and in a groove of the hanging serted in the brackets so that the hole pose of reducing friction to a minimum.

by the nuts on the hanging strap, one menting. The illustration herewith above and the other below the door plate. given shows its form. The outside The appearance of the door after it is length is 17½ inches, and the width and

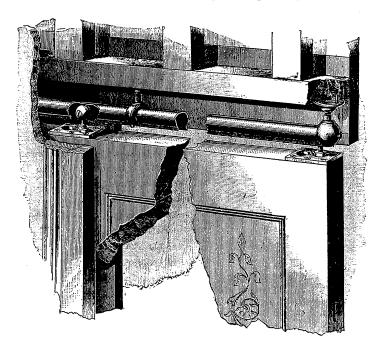


Fig. 3.—Track, Hangers and Door.

hung is shown in Fig. 3. It is explained that the hanging strap centers or divides the load and discharges an equal portion of the load on either side of the slot. The point is made that the track is so constructed that it is impossible for it to clog, there being no place wherein dust or other matter can lodge, and that the hanger is small and strong. Track and hangers are con-structed on the same principle for use in barn and elevator doors.

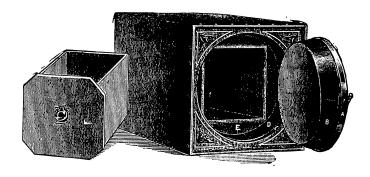
Steel Fire Proof Security Boxes.

The Sidway Mfg. Company, 32 to 40 South Jefferson street, Chicago, are manufacturing a steel fire proof security box which is specially adapted for use in private residences. Safes or other receptacles for protecting valuables, documents, jewelry, &c., from fire are seldom found in residences on account of their cost, size and weight. It is hight are each 11 inches. Its inside length is $10\frac{3}{4}$ inches, width $5\frac{1}{3}$ inches and hight 6 inches. The weight is 55

thus forming a continuous metallic connection which is of course the best conductor of heat, these boxes have a space between the metal edge of the door and frame filled with fireproofing. Refer-ring to the lettering on the cut, A is the metal door frame, B the fire proof back, C the metal door jamb, D the inner fire proof rim, and E the fireproofing around the inner case. The materials used are high grade, cold rolled and pickled steel, and the best non heat-conducting substances. The boxes are of such shape and size that they can be hidden on a shelf, in a trunk, or in a closet or some other convenient place. The company issue a descriptive pamphlet which gives a report of a severe test of the fire proof quality of one of these boxes which was successfully endured.

Brackets for Plumbers.

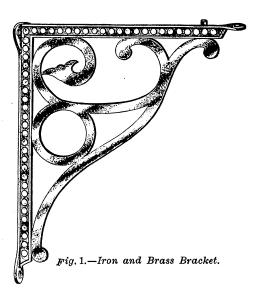
Ette & Henger Mfg. Company, St. Louis, Mo., have recently added new designs to their line of brackets for plumbers' work, as shown in the accompanying cuts. The bracket shown in Fig. 1 is made in iron and brass, in sizes 5×7 , 7×9 and 16×18 inches. Iron brackets are furnished in japan, hardware bronze polished and nickel plated, and the brass brackets are polished, also nickel plated. The design illustrated in Fig. 2 is made in the same sizes, of brass only, and is furnished both polished and nickel plated. The brackets are designed for use in

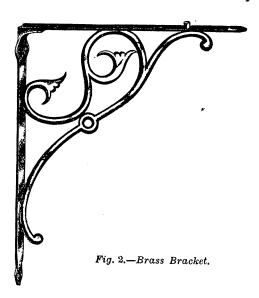


Steel Fire Proof Security Boxes.

pounds. In the construction of these boxes a different principle is pursued from that followed in making the stand- |

connection with marble slabs, sinks, closet tanks, &c. The two smaller sizes of both iron and brass are packed





claimed that these objections have been overcome in the construction of the Sidway box, after over a year's experi- against the metal edges of the frame, in a wooden case.

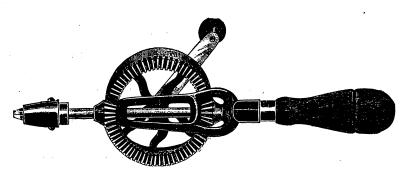
ard safes. Instead of having the door |

half a dozen in a paper box, while the 16 x 18 inch sizes are put up one dozen

Hand Drill No. 5.

Millers Falls Company, 93 Reade street, New York, are putting on the market the hand drill here shown. The drill is offered as a substitute for drills Nos. 1 B, 3 and 3 B, and has, it is claimed, all of the advantages of the

and to be kept tight in case of shrinkage. A shoulder is provided at the bottom of the handles to receive the full thrust instead of allowing it to come on the bolts. The hinge bolt is of steel and is provided with a jam nut to prevent it coming loose, also to take up all wear perfectly. The length of the steel blade is 9 inches; the length of the en

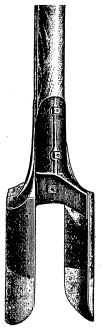


Hand Drill No. 5.

other numbers mentioned, and in addition has a wide rimmed gear to be grasped between the thumb and fingers when the drill is used for delicate work. It is stated that in this manner it can be run without liability of breaking points. The drill is double geared, 11½ inches in length, weighing 20 ounces, and is accompanied by six points of the same style as are put up with their automatic borers. The drill has the advantage over No. 3 B of being listed at a less price. The manufacturers state that they shall discontinue the making of the three numbers referred to, and that when their present stock on hand is exhausted the No. 5 drill will be substituted without notice.

The Canton Post Hole Digger.

Gibbs Mfg. Company, Canton, Ohio, are putting on the market a post hole digger as here shown. The handles



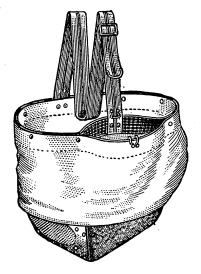
The Canton Post Hole Digger.

open past each other, bringing the strain on the thick way or edge of the handle, instead of apart and on the broad or thin way, thus giving, it is explained, increased strength to the handles. The shanks above the blades are round in form to fit the handles and permits them to be firmly fastened with $\frac{1}{16}$ -inch bolts,

tire digger is 5 feet 3 inches and the weight 9 pounds each. The manufacturers remark that all the materials used in the construction of the tool are of good size and of strength to withstand the required work, and that although the digger was designed to meet the prevailing tone of low prices the finish will be kept up to their usual good standard.

Bean's Perfection Feed Bag.

John P. Lovell Arms Company, 147 Washington street, Boston, are introducing a feed bag shown herewith. The bag is made of canvas and galvanized iron. There are two bags, one inside



Bean's Perfection Feed Bag.

of the other, with a space between them for 8 quarts of oats, which drop through into the galvanized iron basin, gradually filling it about 1 inch, directly under the horse's mouth. The basin is oblong in shape and has an opening covered with wire screen, with which, it is stated, the oats never come in contact. It is explained that while the animal is eating its nose is at the screen through which it breathes as freely as though it had no bag on. The point is made that 4 quarts of oats slowly fed where the animal gets them all is of more value than 6 quarts gormandized and wasted on the street. The weight of the bag is $2\frac{\pi}{4}$ pounds. The makers claim that the bag prevents waste, gormandizing,

slobbering and breathing in the oats; that it cures the habit of throwing the head, and that it never gets foul.

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Note.—The quotations given below represent Current Hardware Prices, whether made by manufacturers or jobbers. They apply to such quantities of goods as are usually purchased by retail Hardware merchants. Very small orders and broken packages often command higher prices.

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Adjusters, Blind— Domestic dos \$5.00, 83%@83%&10% Excelsior dos \$10.00 50&10&2% North's	Bag Holders — See Holders, Bag. Balances—	Bolts— Carriage, Machine, &c.— Com. list June 10, '%4 80&10@80&10&5% Charter Oak, list Oct., 188480% denuune Eagie, Norway, list Oct. '%4	Loose Joint, Ja Loose Joint, Ja Loose Joint, Ja Loose Pin, Aco Loose Pin, Aco
Ammunition—See Caps, Car- tridges, Shells, &c.	Caldwell, low list	Genuine Eagle, Norway, list Oct. '84 80&5@80&10% Eagle, Norway, list Oct. '8480&10@80&15 Phile pottern list Oct. '8480&10@80&15	Loose Pin, Aco Loose Pin, Ac Plated Tips. Mayer's Hinge Parliament Bu
Anvils-	Spring	Sentine Eagle, Norway, hat Oct. '84	Fast Joint, Bro Fast Joint, Nar Fast Joint, Lt. Inside Blind, I Loose Joint, Br
American—	Chatillon Straight Balances. 40@40&10%	Door and Shutter-	Fast Joint, Lt. Inside Blind, I
Eagle Anvils, * b 9615@15&5\$ Horse shoe brand, Wrought11@11\6 Moore & Barnes Mfg. Co38\6	Barb Wire.—See Wire, Barb.	Cast Iron Barrel Square. &c	Loose Joint, Br Loose Pin Table Butts, Ba
Imported—	Bars- Crow-	Cast Iron Chain (Sargent's list)	Bronzea Wrou
Armitage Mouse Hole9%@10\$ 8. & H., machine finished10%@11¢ Trenton	Cast Steel	Wrought Barrel	Cages, Hendryx Brass
Armitage Mouse Hole. 914@10¢ 8. & H., machine finished. 1014@11¢ Trenton. 944@104¢ Wikinson's. 10@104¢ Peter Wright's. 1014@11\$	Basins, Wash—		3000, 5000, 11 1200 series. 200, 300, 600
Anvil Vise and Drill— Allen Anvil and Vise \$3,0040&10%	Standard Fiberware, No. 1, 10%-in., \$1.80; 12-inch, \$2.00; 13%-inch, \$2.50; 15-inch, \$3.00.	Wr't Shutter, Brass Knob	Hendryx Bron 700, 800 serie Hendryx Ena
Cheney Anvil and Vise	Beams Scale— Scale Beams, List Jan. 12. '82	Wrought Square	Callpers Calks Burke's, One I Burke's, One I Burke's Two I Burke's Two I
Apple Parers — See Parers	Chatillon's No. 1. 50&10@50&10&5% Chatillon's No. 2. 50&10@50&10&5% Custers'. 50&10@50&10&5%	Stove and Plow—	Burke's, One H Burke's, One H
Apple, &c. Augers and Bits—	Custers'	Plow60&10@60&10&10% Stove65@70% R. B. & W., Plow55%	
Boring Machine Augers70@70&10%	Egg— Bryant's* gross \$14.00	Tire—	CanOper Cans W
Boring Machine Augers	Beaters— Bryant's	Common, list Feb. 28, '83 70@70&10\$ American Screw Company' Norway, Phila., list Oct. 16, '84 80\$ Eagle, Phila., list Oct. 16 '84 85 Bay State, list Feb. 28, '83 76\$	10-gai., \$4,70
forstner Pat. Auger Bits	Dover (Standard Co.) # doz \$1.00 Duplex (Standard Co.) # doz \$1.00	Norway, Phila., list Oct. 16, '8480's Eagle, Phila., list Oct. 16 '8486's Bay State. list Feb. 28, '8375's	Galvanized Bl Galvanized Bl
J. E. Jennings & Co., No. 10, extension lip	Duplex Extra Heavy (Standard Co.)	Bay State, list Feb. 28, '83	Galvanized B
5. E. Jennings & Co., No. 10, extension Ip	Easy (H. & R. Mfg. Co.)* gro \$12.00 Improved Acme (H. & R. Mfg. Co.) gro. \$9.00	Eclipse, list Feb. 28, '83	Glass Oil, Fri Caps— Hicks & Golds
Russell Jennings' Augers and Bits.25&103 Lewis' Patent Single twist	Silver & Co	Empire list Feb. 28, '88	Hicks & Golds Cartridge Elev's E. B
L'Hommedieu Car Bits15&10% Pugh's Black20% Pugh's Jennings Pattern30% Snell's Bits60&5@60&10%	Culinary— Keystone, P. D. & Co., Each, No. 1, \$1; No. 2, \$2	R. B. & W., Philadel., list Oct. 16, '8485%	Eley's E. B Eley's D Wate E. B.Grnd.E
	No. 2, \$2	Borers, Tap-	E. B. Trimm
Bit Stock Drills- Dieveland50&10&5%	Common Wrought 80&10	Common and Ring 20&10% Clark's 3814@35% Enterprise Mfg. Co 25% Ives' Tap Borers 3314@55%	G. D. Musket. Wa S. B. Genuine
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New Process 1 wist Drill Co	Kentucky Durham 70&10% Kentucky, Sargent's list. 70&10% Kentucky, Star" 20&10% Texas Star 50&10656&10&50 Western, Sargent's list. 70&10%	chines, Boring.	All other Prin
Fracuse, for wood (wood list).30@30&5% Expansive Bits—	Door-	Bow Pins—See Pins, Bow. Boxes, Letter—	Cards— Watson's Cot File, list Jan
Mark's small \$18 : large \$26 40@40 \$54	Crank, Cone's	Tatum's40	See Street
Ives' No. 4. \$ doz. \$60	Gong, Barton's	Boxes, Wagon-	Cartrid B. B. Caps, Co B. B. Caps, Ro
Gimlet Bits-	Lever, Sargent's	Boxes, Miter.	additional 1
Bee	Grank, Brooks'	Spilker's Excelsior, 3 in. \$7.50, 4 in. \$8.50, 5 in. \$13.00, 6 in. \$15.0020\$	Blank Cartrid Cent. Fire, Mil Cent. Fire, Pie
Double Cut: Hartwell's\# gro.,\$10.0040&10% Douglass'	Electric— Bigelow & Dowse	Braces— Note.—Most Braces are sold at net	Primed Shells Rim Fire Cart Rim Fire Mili
Hartwell's \$\fomma\ \text{gro.,\$10.00.40\&10\x}\$ Douglass' \(0.0\text{20.000} \) Tyes \(60.0\text{20.000} \) Shepardson's \(45\text{20.000} \) 45\text{210.000} \)	Hand— Extra Heavy Brass	Porices.	Carpet See Swee
Hollow Augers— Bonney's Adjustable, # doz \$4850%	Hand— Extra Heavy Brass	Bartholomew's Armstrong's	Casters
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ves'	Steel Alloy Church and School Bells50%	Ives' New Haven Novelty	Gwinner's He Martin's Pater Payson's Anti
Jincinnati Adjustable	Bellows- Blacksmiths' 60&10&10@70% Hand Bellows 40&10@50% Molders' 40&10@50%	Barber Ratchet	Payson's Truck
onip Augers and Bits—	Bolting Bubbox	Brookste	Stationary Trucker's Pate Yale Casters,
L'Hommedieu's	Common Standard75&10@75&10&5% Extra	Shelf, fancy, Sargent's list70@70&10\$	Yale, Gem Cattle L
### 15&10@15&10&5 ####################################	Common Standard,75&10@75&10&5% Extra	Other makes at a wide range of prices. Shelf, plain,	See Lead Cement Victor Elastic
Awi Hafts—See Hafts, Awi. Awis—	N.Y.B.&P.Co., 1846 Para	Regular, list	Chain-
Brad, Handled	Bench Stops—See Stops, Bench Benders and Upsetters,	Bright Wire Goods—See	3-16 4 5-1 87.50 5.2) 4.2
Brad, Handled	Tire— Detroit Perfected Tire Bender 15@15&10%	Wire. Brollers—	Less than ca German Coil,
	Green River Tire Benders and Upset- ters. 20% Stoddard's Lightning Tire Upsetters. 15%	Henis' Self- Inch 9 10 9x11 Basting. Per dox\$4.50 5.50 6.50 Morgan Odorless \$4 dox. \$12, 505	German Halte Frace, Wagon
Awi and Tool Sets—See Sets, Awl and Tool.	Bits-		List revised
Axes— First quality, best brands\$6.00@\$6.50 First quality, other brands 5.50@ 6.00 Bevoled add 50¢ % doz.	Auger, Gimlet, Bit Stock Drills, &c., see Augers and Bits.	Wire Goods Co	Barnes' Reinf Barnes Victo Covert Halter Covert Heel C
	Bit Holders—See Holders. Blind Adjusters—See Ad-	See Pails.	Covert Traces Eureka Weld Eureka Weld
Axle. Grease — See Greate,	justors, Blind. Blind Fasteners—See Faston-	Bull Rings—See Rings, Bull. Butcher's Cleavers—See	Jack Chain, 10, 1893 Oneida Halter
Axles— No. 1 CommonS#@3%#)	ers, Blind. Blind Staples—See Staples,	Cleavers, Butchers. Butts—	Oneida Halter Pump Chain, 5 ton lots
No. 1 Common	Blind.	l Rrace_	1-ton lots
Nos. 19 to 22	Blocks— Cleveland Block Co., Mai, Iron	Cast Brass, Fast	Small lots in Chalk Blue, case lots
Concord Axles, solid collar	50&10@60&10\$ Moore's Novelty, Mai. Iron 50@50&5% Sum Grip Stool Tackle Blocks 25@25&10\$	Cast Iron— Feet oint, Broad60&10@60&10&10\$	Red, case lots White case le
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Loose Pin, Acorns
Loose Pin, Acorns, Japanned, Plated Tips
Parliament Butts. Wrought Steel— Feet Joint Proof
Wrought Steel- Fast Joint, Broad
Fast Joint, Broad. Fast Joint, Rarrow. Fast Joint, Lt. Narrow. Inside Blind, Light. Losee Joint, Broad. Losee Jin. Table Butts, Back Flaps, &c. Bronzed Wrought Butts50&10458
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Loose Pin.
Cages, Bird— Hendryx Brass:
3000, 5000, 1100 series. 105 1200 series. 405
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Burke's, One Prong, Blunt
Burke's, Two Prong, Blunt
Can Openers—See Openers, Can.
Cans Milk— 8 S. & Co.: 5-gal., \$3.00; 8-gal., \$4.40; 10-gal., \$4.75 each
Cans Oil—
Galvanized Blue Band, 1 gal., 4 dos. \$2.55 Galvanized Blue Band, 5 gal., Tip-Top,
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Primers— Berdan Primers, \$1.00.
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Cards— Watson's Cotton, Wool, Horse and File, list January 28, 1891
Carpet Stretchers— See Stretchers, Carpet.
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B. B. Caps, Con. Ball, Swgd., \$1.85@\$1.90 B. B. Caps, Round Ball, \$1.60@\$1.65
Blank Cartridges, except 22 and 32 cal., additional 10% to above discounts.
See Stretchers, Carpet. Cartridges. B. B. Caps, Con. Ball, Swgd., \$1.85@\$1.99 B. B. Caps, Round Ball, \$1.60@\$1.6\$ Blank Cartridges, except 22 and 32 cal., additional 10% to above discounts. Blank Cartridges, 22 cal., \$1.75 Blank Cartridges, 23 cal., \$1.50 Blank Cartridges, 23 cal., \$1.50 Cont. Fire, Military and Sporting 1525235 Cent. Fire, Pistol and Rullets 255225 Primed Shells and Bullets 1525235
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Carpet Sweepers— See Sweepers, Carpet.
Casters-
Bed
Deep Socket
Gwinner's Common Sense45@50% Gwinner's Hercules45@50%
Martin's Patent (Phoenix).45&10@50&10% Payson's Anti-friction70@70&10%
Socket Truck Casters
Shallow Socket Deep Socket .
Vale, Gem. 705 Vale, Gem. 705 Cattle Leaders— See Leaders, Cattle.
See Leaders, Cattle.
Cement— Victor Elastic
American Coil, in cask lots,
1 87.50 5.2) 4.25 3.80 3.65 3.40 3.20 3.20 Less than cask lots, add 4.624.6 3 1.0
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Irace, wagon and Fancy Chains, List revised May, 189360@60&10\$
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Covert Hatter 50833 Covert Heel Chain 50833 Covert Traces 85833
Eureka Weldless Coil
Jack Chain, Iron and Brass, list July 10, 1893
Covert Heel Unam. 50&25 Covert Traces. 35&25 Eureka Weldless Coll
5 ton lots
Small lots from jobbers? D. 60644
Blue, case lots. #gr 25¢: small lots. 40@50¢
Pump Unian, Galvanised. 5 ton lots
See also Crayons.



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Chalk Lines—See Lines. Checks, Door— Bardsley's	l
Bardsley's 20% Unity 50%	١
Chisels—	١
Ohio Tool Co	l
Witherby Buck Bros 80\$	l
Witherby	١
Merrili	١
Buck Bros	۱
Butchers	I
Tanged Firmers	١
Cold Chisels, fair quality, % n14@16# Chucks— Beach Pat	١
Danburyeach, \$6.00,80@30&5% Graham Patent	I
Morse's Adjustable, each, \$7.00,20@20&5% Syracuse, Bals Pat25%	١
Combination Lathe Chucks40%	I
Independent Lathe Chucks40% Planer Chucks20%	١
Universal Lathe Chucks40% Union Mfg. Co.	۱
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McDermald Star Barrel Churn, each 6 gal., \$2.60; 10 gal., \$2.75; 15 gal.,	١
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\$3.75; 10 gal., \$4.25. Clarn ps— Adjustable, Cincinnati	١
Adjustable, Hammers	1
Barnes' Machinists' Clamps	١
Carriage Makers', P., S. & W Co 40&10% Carriage Makers', Sargent's 75@75&55	I
Eberhard Mfg. Co	I
R. I. Tool Co.'s Wrought Iron25% Saw Clamps, see Vises, Saw Filers' Sterme', Wellooble with Wrought Iron	١
Screw	١
Warner's	1
Stearns' Maileable, with Wrought Iron Screw	١
New Haven Edge Tool Co.'s40% Nichols Bros30%	١
P., S. & W	1
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Norway Spring Bar Clips	l
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Cloth and Netting, Wire —See Wire, &c. Cockeyes	
See Wire, &c. Cocky Brass— Gardware list (Globe, Kerosene, Lever Bibbs, Racking, &c.)	
Coffee Mills—See Mills, Coff ee.	
Brass, Pope & Steven's list	
Embossed, Gilt, Pope&Steven's list30&10% Leather, Pope & Steven's list	1
Redford Fancy Goods Co40&10@50% Combs Curry	
American Curry Comb Co	
Kohler's Humane	
Rohler's magic oscillating w dox, \$2.00 Eubber, per dox, \$10.00 26% Compasses, Dividers & C. Compasses, Calipers, Dividers.70&10@76% Bemis & Call Co.'s	
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Calipers, Inside or Outside	
Stowatt's	1
Combination Dividers25%	
Stevens & Co.'s	١
Spring Calipers and Dividers 25&10% Stevens & Co.'s	1
Coopers' Tools— See Tools, Coopers'.	I
Cord— Sash— Braided, Crown Drab and Fancy, W B, 55¢	١
Braided, Crown White, # 5, 50¢50%	1
Common Russia Sash # D 12/4@184	1
Hayptian, India Hemp, Braided26¢ India Cable Laid Sash 5 b, 114312¢	1
Ossawan Mills— Crown, Solid Braided White. # D. 22¢	
Crown, Drab and Fancy & D, 222 Braided Giant Drab and Fancy. & D, 30%	
Braided, Crown Drab and Fancy, \$\pi\$ \(\text{b}, 56\) \(\text{b}, 50\) \(\text{c}, 50\) \(\text{c}	
Bamson— Braided, Drab Cotton 5 h, 42¢	
Braided, Italian Hemp B., 40¢ Braided, Linen	١
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Braided or Twisted	1	Hercules, Drab
Corkscrews—See Soreus, Cork. Corn Knives and Cutters —See Knives, Corn. Crackers, Nut— Amna. Japanned, # gro, \$30. Sincel Plated, # gro, \$30. Tole Ed. B. Mig. Co		Wire Picture— Braided or Twisted80&10@80&20%
Appanned, #gro, \$30.	I	Corkscrews—See Screws, Cork. Corn Knives and Cutters
Japanned, # gro, \$30		
Grain		Japanned, # gro., \$30
White Crayons, # gross		Turner & Seymour Mig. Co50%
Creamery, Crombs— See Oombs, Curry. Coutters— See Oombs, Curry. Cutters— Meat— American		Crayons— White Crayons, \$ gross6261/4¢
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Chadborn's Smoked Beef Cutter, \$40.00 Enterprise Beef Shavers		Hale's. # dos
Chadborn's Smoked Beef Cutter, \$40.00 Enterprise Beef Shavers		Home No. 1, # dos., \$26.00
Chadborn's Smoked Beef Cutter, \$40.00 Enterprise Beef Shavers		\$35.00 \$48.00 \$44.00 \$72.00 \$68.00 Miles Challenge, #dom45@45&10\$
Chadborn's Smoked Beef Cutter, \$40.00 Enterprise Beef Shavers		\$22.00 \$30.00 \$40.00 Triumph No. 505, % doz., \$21.0025@30% Woodriff's \$ doz.
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Appleton's \$\footnote{\pi}\$ dos., \$16.00		Acme
Appleton's \$\footnote{\pi}\$ dos., \$16.00		Nashua Lock Co.'s 7 doz., \$18.00, 50@55% National
Bonney's		Appleton's dos., \$16.00,
Diggers, Post Hole, &c.— Cronk's Post Bars, * doz. \$60.00, Eureka Diggers * doz. \$10.506812.00 Fletcher Post Hole Augers, * doz., \$30.05(8512.00 Fletcher Post Hole Augers, * doz., \$30.00, Gem, Improved * doz., \$10.506812.00 Gibbs Hustler * doz., \$10.00 Gibbs Hustler * doz., \$10.00 Gibbs Hustler * doz., \$10.00 Gibbs National * doz., \$12.00 Gibbs Post Hole Digger * doz., \$12.00 Kohler's Hruchle * doz., \$12.00 Kohler's Hurtlelle * doz., \$12.00 Kohler's Hurtlelle * doz., \$12.00 Kohler's New Champion * doz., \$18.00 Kohler's New Champion * doz., \$20.00, 102 Samson, * doz., \$24.00 * 250.258103 Scheddler * * doz., \$25.00 Vaughan's Post Hole Auger, * doz., \$25.00 Vaughan's Post Hole Auger, * doz., \$25.00 Dog Collars—See Compasses. Dog Collars—See Collars, Dog. Door Checks— See Checks, Door Door Springs— See Springs. Door. Doar Springs— See Springs. Door. Doar Springs— See Knives, Drawing. Automatic Boring Tools * \$17.5681.85 Bench Drills Stearns' * 504 Blacksmiths' Self-Feeding, each \$1.50 Brasst, Bartholomew's each \$2.50 Breast, Bartholomew's each \$2.50 Ratchet, Curtis & Curtis * 30.8256 Chicopee Automatic Drills * 408.515 Ratchet, Morril's * 20.20265 Ratchet, Weiston's * 20.20265 Ratchet, Weiston'		Bonney's
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Breast, Bartholomew'seach \$2.50 Br. ast, Millers Falls each \$3.00, 25% Breast, P. S. & W		Drills and Drill Stocks— Automatic Boring Tools\$1.75@\$1.85
Breast, Bartholomew'seach \$2.50 Br. ast, Millers Falls each \$3.00, 25% Breast, P. S. & W	-	Bench Drills, Stearns'
Breast, P. S. & W. 40&105 Breast, Wilson's. 80&65 Chicopee Automatic Drill. 20&105 Goodell Automatic Drill. 20&105 Ratchet, Curtis & Curtis. 805 Ratchet, Ingersoll's. 205 Ratchet, Merrill's. 90@20&55 Ratchet, Merrill's. 90@20&55 Ratchet, Moore's Triple Action. 25@305 Ratchet, Weston's. 20@20&55 Ratchet, Weston's. 20@20&55 Ratchet, Weston's. 20@20&55 Ratchet, Weston's. 20@20&55 Ratchet, Whitney's. 20@20 Whitneys Hand Drill, Plain, \$11.00 Adjustable, \$12.00 20&105 Twist Drills Cleveland 50&10&105 Diamond, W. & B. 50&10&105 Oceahem's Pat Groove Shank 50&10&105 Condend's Pat Groove Shank 50&10 Condend's Pat Groove Shank 50 Condend's Pat Groove Shank 50 Condend's Pat Groove Shank 50		Breast, Bartholomew'seach \$2.50
Diamond, W. & B	-	Breast, P. S. & W
Diamond, W. & B		Goodell Automatic Drills40&5@40&10% Ratchet, Curtis & Curtis
Diamond, W. & B		Ratchet, Merrill's
Diamond, W. & B		Ratchet, Weston's
Diamond, W. & B		Adjustable, \$12.00
New Process		Graham's Pat. Groove Shank 50&10&10&
		New Process

Drill Bits or Bit Stock	Fixtures Grindston
Drills—See Augers and Bits. Drill Chucks—See Thucks.	Fixtures Grindston 55&10a Moore's 55&10a F. S. & W. Co. 50&10&10 & 10&10&10&10&10&10&10&10&10&10&10&10&10&1
See Pans, Dripping.	Fluting Machines See Machines, Fluting.
Drivers, Screw-	Fodder Squeezers.
Brace Screw Drivers	Forks—Hay, Manure, &c. Asso. List, 70@70&5&88 Hay, Manure, &c., Phila. List, 60@60&10&98
Clark's Pat. 33\\ 640\\ Cincinnati 25\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 6100\\ 61000\\ 61	Placed, see Spooms.
Disston's	Frames-Saw-
Ellectric Spiral	Red, Polished and Varnished 4 dos., \$1.50, 285 White Vermont 5 gro., \$9,004\$10.08
Gay & Parsons	Screen, Window and Door- Bonanza Window Screens
See Pans, Dripping. Drivers, Screw Allard's Spiral	Screen, Window and Door- Bonanza Window Screens. 502105 Cortiand. 4064025 Empire Fancy Screen Doors, % dos. 412 Phillips' Window Screen Frames. 50210650810255
Strain S	Perter's Pat. Window and Door Frame,
Nos. 4 and 00, Acme and Ideal60&10% Kolb's Common Sense \$ dos., \$6.00, 25&10%	Perter's Pat. Window and Door Frame, 334&10 Stearns: Frames and Corners. 25@25&10% Wabash Adjustable Window Screen, 393(25%
Mayhew's Black Handle	Warner's Screen Corner Irons. 334&10% Freezers, Ice Cream— American
Sargent & Co.'s No. 1, Forged Blade	Arctic
Screw Driver Bits, Parr's. * gross, \$6.25 Screw Driver Bits. * dos., 50@75#	Buffalo Champion
No. 64, Varnished Handles65&105 No. 86	Confectioners' Machine
Stearns'	Giant 605 Good Luck 655 Granite State 655
Egg Beaters—See Beaters, Egg.	Keystone, P., D. & Co.,each, \$1.50 201
Egg Poachers— See Poachers, Egg.	Peeriess 60&10% Shepard's Lightning 65%
Electric Bell Sets-	Arctic
See Bells, Electric. Emery—No. 4 to No. 54 to Flour, CF 46 gr. 150 gr. F.FF.	Star 60% White Mountain 60% 22ero 70% Fruit and Jelly Presses 5ee Presses Fruit and Jelly.
Emery—No. 4 to No. 54 to Flour, OF 46 gr. 150 gr. F.FF. Kegs, * b 446 5 5 6 3 3 6 4 kegs, * b 5 6 5 6 3 4 6 10-\$\text{r} cans, 10 in case 6 6 6 6 5 5 6 10-\$\text{r} cans, less than 10 10 \$ 10 \$ 8 \$	See Presses, Fruit and Jelly. Fruit Pickers. See Pickers, Fruit.
10-9 cans, 10 in case 6 6 646 546	See Pickers, Fruit. Fry Pans—See Pans, Fry.
10-m cans, less than 1010 # 10 # 8 #	Fry Pans—See Pans, Pry. Funnels— Gersdorff's Perfection, Standard and Globe; Tin, 1 gro., 105; 2 to 5 gro., 20%; 5 to 10 gro
Enameled and Tinned Ware—See Ware, Hollow.	20%; 5 to 10 gro
See Pins, Escutcheon.	Furnaces, Soldering— Burgess Nos. 8, 4 and 5 Gem, Copper
Escutcheons— Brass Tiread	reservoir
Wood	\$6.0; No. 2 Fire-Pot\$12.00 Fuse—Dis. 10&2% cash. % n 1000 ft
T fet Mo E	Burgess Nos. 3, 4 and 5 dem tin reservoir
Door Mats, Galvanised	Single Taped Fuse, for wet ground. 4.78 Triple Taped Fuse, for very wet gr 6.40 Large Guita Percha Fuse, for water 15.00
Tree Guards, Paneled	Small Gutta Percha Fuse, for water, 10.00
Extractors, Lemon Julce —See Squeezers, Lemon.	Cates Molasses— Boss, # dos.: No. 1. \$7; No. 2. \$8; No. 9, \$9 No. 4.
Fasteners, Blind— Austin & Eddy, # gr. sets	No. 1. \$7: No. 2. \$8; No. 8, \$9 No. 4. \$10
Security Gravity	Stepoin's Timed Ends40&10
Zimmerman's50&10%	Gauges- Barrett's Comb. Roller Gauge
Faucets— B. & L. B. Co. West's Lock, Open and Shut Key 505 Burnside's Red Cedar, bbl. lots 505 Burnside's Red Cedar, bbl. lots 5062105	Gauges— Barrett's Comb. Roller Gauge. Barrett's Comb. Roller Gauge. With Scale. With Scale. Without Scale. Wos. 85.0 Without Scale. Wos. 85.0 Without Scale. Wos. 85.0 Without Scale. Wos. 85.0
Cerk Lined	Marking, Mortise, &c
Burnside's Red Cedar, bbl. 10ts 502108; Cerk Lined	Staniey R. & L. Co.'s butt and Ranbet Gauge
	Wire P S & W Co 10810
Peerless Best Block Tin Key40% IXL, 1st quality, Cork Lined50% Diamond Lock	Wire, Wheeler, Madden & Co10
Perfection, Fla. Red Cedar (in boxes) 40% Boss Metallic Key	Diamond Gimlets
John Sommers' Peerless Best Block Tin Key 40s IXL, 1st quality, Cork Lined 50s Diamond Lock 40s Perfection, Fla. Red Cedar (in boxes) 40s Boss Metallic Key 50s Reliable Cork Lined 60s O. K. Western Pattern Cork Lined 50s No Brand, Red Cedar (in bbls.) 50&10x Western Pattern Metal Key 40s No Brand Metal Key 40s	Wire, Wheeler, Madden & Co
Western Pattern Metal Key	
Self Measuring	Improved Process25@25&5 Le Page's Liquid25@25&5
Star. Metal Plug, new list	Dodd's Liquid Glue
Felloe Plates	Axieine, tin boxes # gross \$12.00 Dixon's Everlasting10-b pails, ea. 856
Fibre Ware—See Ware, Fibre. Fifth Wheels— Brewster. Derby and Cincinnati	\$1.20; 2 b \$2.00 English Coach, 5-b tin pails. # dos, \$3.50
(Filas	Fraser's, kegs, half bbls, or bbl., % b, 3%
Domestic— American	Fraser's, small wood boxes# gro. \$9.5 Fraser's 5 b wood boxesper doz. \$3.2
60&10&10@70% Eagle	English Coach, wooden boxes. # gross \$8.56 Fraser's, kegs, half bbls, or bbl., # B. 3½ Fraser's, tubs Fraser's, small wood boxes# gro. \$9.5 Fraser's 5 wood boxes# gro. \$9.5 Fraser's 5 to wood boxes# gro. \$9.5 Fraser's 5 to pails # gr \$5.50 Tiger, 5-5 tin pails # gr \$5.50 Crindstones Family, regular list for the cool of the coo
Nicholson (X.F.) Files	Tiger, wooden boxes \$\fores\$7.0\\ \textbf{Crindstones}\-\ \text{Family, regular list60}
(extra prices on certain sizes.) Other makers, best brands70&5@70&10%	Family, Cleveland Stone Co
Second quality	Gun Powder—See Powder
Nicholson (X.F.) Files	Hack Saws—See Sauz. Hatts Awi— Peg, Pat, Leather Top, ¥ dos
Trojan Horse Rasps	Peg, Pat., Plain Top, & dos,40045. Sewing, Brans Fer., & gr
Stripe	Sewing, Pat. Short, \$ dos

Sargent's Patent 70&10@70&10&10% Fluting Machines
See Machines, Fluting. Fodder Squeezers- See Squeezers, Fodder.
Forks— Hay, Manure, &c., Asso, List, 70@70&5&85 Hay, Manure, &c., Phila. List, 60@60&10&95
Figured, see Shooms.
Saw— Red, Polished and Varnished dos.,
White Vermont # gro \$9.00@\$10.08 Screen, Window and Door—
White vermont
Finings Window Screen Frame, 50&10@50&10&55
Perter's Pat. Window and Door Frame, 33442105 Stearns Frames and Corners.25@25&105 Wabash Adjustable Window Screen, 40455
Warner's Screen Corner Irons 3316&10%
Freezers, Ice Cream American 605 Arctic 705 Bliszard 705
Buffalo Champion
Confectioners' Machine
Arctic
Model
Shepard's Lightning
Star
See Presses Fruit and Islan
See Pickers, Eruit.
Funnels— Gersdorff's Perfection, Standard and Globe: Tin. 1 gro., 10%: 2 to 5 gro.,
Fry Pans—See Pam. Tru. Funnels— Gersdorff's Perfection, Standard and Globe; Tin, 1 gro., 105; 2 to 5 gro. 205; 5 to 10 gro
Furnaces, Soldering— Burgess Nos. 3, 4 and 5 Gem, Copper reservoir
reservoir. \$8.50 Burgess Nos. 3, 4 and 5 Gem tin reservoir. \$7.00 Clayton & Lambert No. 1 Fire-Pot. \$6.01; No. 2 Fire-Pot. \$12.00
\$6.01; No. 2 Fire-Pot\$12.00 Fuse—Dis. 10&2% cash. # n 1000 ft.
Common Hemp Fuse, for dryground. 2.80 Double Taped Fuse, for very wet gr 5.60 Single Taped Fuse for wat ground. 4.75
Fuse—Dis. 10&2% cash. \$ n 1000ft. Common Cotton Fuse, for dry gr'nd. \$.80 Common Hemp Fuse, for dry gr'nd. \$.80 Double Taped Fuse, for very wet gr 5 .60 Single Taped Fuse, for wet ground. 4.75 Triple Taped Fuse, for very wet gr 5 .40 Large Gutta Percha Fuse, for water. 15.00 Small Gutta Percha Fuse, for water. 10.00
Cates Molasses— Boss, # dos.: No. 1. \$7: No. 2. \$8; No. 3. \$9 No. 4. \$10
Stebbin's Genuine
Weed's
Hoague & Peck's Champion Gauge—
Hosgue & Peck's Champion Gauge— With Scale
Gauge
Wire, Brown & Sharpe's10@200
Wire, Morse's
Diamond Gimlets
Cimiets— Nali and Spike
Clue— Dodd's Liquid Glue25@25&5\$
Improved Process
Crease, Axie— Axieine, tin boxes # gross \$12.00
Dixon's Everlasting10-b pails, ea. 85¢ Dixon's Everlasting, in bxs % doz 1 b \$1.20; 2 b \$2.00
English Coach, 5-m tin palls. # dos, \$3.50 English Coach, wooden boxes # gross \$8.50
English Coach, wooden boxes. # gross \$8.50 Fraser's, kegs, half bbls, or bbl, # b, 35/4 Fraser's, tubs # b, 4¢; pails, b¢ Fraser's, small wood boxes. # gro. \$9.50 Fraser's 5 b wood boxes. per doz. \$3.28 Lower grades, special brands. Tiger, 5-5 tin pails. # dos \$2.35
Lower grades, special brands. # gr \$5.50@\$7.00
Tiger, 5-25 tin pails \$\footnote{\pi}\$ gr \$5.50\(\phi\)\$7.00 Tiger, 5-25 tin pails \$\footnote{\pi}\$ gr \$5.50\(\phi\)\$7.00 Tiger, wooden boxes \$\footnote{\pi}\$ gross \$7.00 Crindstones Family, regular list 605 Family, Cleveland Stone Co \$95
Family, regular list
Grindstone Fixtures-
See Fixtures, Grindstone. Cun Powder—See Powder
See Fixtures, Grindstone. Cun Powder—See Powder
See Fixtures, Grindstone.

Halters— Covert's Adl. Rone Halters 40824	Hay and Straw Knives	Celling, Sargent's list	Hay and Straw-
Covert's Adj. Rope Halters	Hinges Blind Hinges—	Clothes Line, Reading list 60&10@60&10&10%	Blizzard
Governty Town State and Cattle Tie,	Clark's	60&10@60&10&10% Coat and Hat, Moore's	Lightning, from jobbers\$6.50@\$7.50 Nolin's Hay
Covert's Jute Cattle Ties70&10&2% Covert's Jute Horse Ties70&2%	Nos. 1, 3, 5, 1868, Old Pattern	50&10@50&10&10%	Wadsworth's
Overt's Jute Cattle Ties	Clark's Nos. 1, 8, 5, 1868, Old Pattern	Cour and mat, pargent a list.	Mincing-
Covert's Rope, Jute	and 65	Hammock, E. C. Stearns & Co., & doz.	Am. (2d quality), # gr., 1 blade, \$7;
Covert's Saddlery Works Handy Web	1 and 070&5%	Harness, Reading list55&10@55&10&10%	Am. (2d quality), \$\pi\$ gr., 1 blade, \$7; 2 blades, \$12; 3 blades, \$18 net Buffalo Adjustable \$\pi\$ doz. \$3.00, \$31/45 Knapp & Cowles
UOVert's Saddiery Works Horse and	No. 1, Cottage, for wood only80&10% No. 1, Diamond, for wood only80&5%	Wire— Atlas, Coat and Hat65%	Knapp & Cowles. 50&10@60%
Oatule 1108	Dixie L. & P., Nos. 3, 21/2, 2, 11/2, 1, 0, 75 % 5	Belt	Smith's, & dos., Single, \$2: Double \$8
Hammers— Handled Hammers—	No. 25, Empire Reversible75&10%	Indestructible Coat and Hat45@45&5%	Sensible, Nos. 10, 20, 40 & 6040%
Atha Tool Co	4 and 5	Williamson's Bird Cage Hooks, List	K nobe
Humason & Beckley 50&10@60%	and 10	Wire Coat and Hat, Gem, list April,	Bardsley's Wood Door, Shutter, &c151 Base, Rubber Tin 70&10&51
Atha Tool Co. Buffalo Hammer Co. Buffalo Hammer Co. Solution & Beckley. Verree. Cheney's Claw Cheney's Machinist's & Riveting. 50&55 C. Hammond & Son. 40&10&504 Magnetic Tack, Nos. 1, 2, 8, \$1.25. 1.50 & 1.75. 30&20	No. 50 Buffalo Noiseless, 40, 60 and 65 Buffalo Reversible, Nos. 3, 2, 146, 1 and 0,	Wire— Atlas, Coat and Hat. 80&15@80&20% Belt	Bardsley's Wood Door, Shutter, &c 156 Base, Rubber Tip
Cheney's Machinist's & Riveting50&5%	Parker. 75&10% North's Automatic Blind Fixtures, No. \$1,50 (c) No. 3, for Brick, \$1,50	1886	Door, Por. Jap'd
Magnetic Tack, Nos. 1, 2, 8, \$1.25. 1.50 &	\$11.50	Bright Wire Goods—See Wire.	Door, Por. Plated Nickel 22,00@22.25
MRV0016's list Dog 1 /88 95.8-10@40%	Sargent's.Nos.1. 3, 5, 11, 12, 13	Wrought Iron— Cotton Pat. (N. Y. Mallet and Handle	Drawer, Porcelain60&10@60&10&10% Hemacite Door Knobs40&10@50\$
1 00L, Stow & W11COX 40@40&0%	Shepard's:	W'ks	Picture, Hemacite
#ayette R. Plumb. Artisans' Choice, A. E. Nail 40&1246 Engineers' and B. S. Hand 60&156 Machinists' Hammers 60&156 Regular Y. & P., A. E. Nail 40&12268 Other Hammers 60&5 Bargent's 40£10265 Warner & Nobles, new list 25&10	Shepard's: Adme, Lull & Porter, Nos. 3, 2½, 2, 1½, 1, 0, 00, 4 and 5. Buffalo Gravity Locking, Nos. 1, 3 and 5. Champion Gravity Locking, No. 75. 80&103	Wiss. 1. See Wrought Goods	Picture, Sargent's70&10%
Machinists' Hammers	Buffalo Gravity Locking, Nos. 1, 3	See Wrought Goods	Yale & Towne Wood, list Dec., 188540%
Other Hammers	Champion Gravity Locking, No. 75	Busn	Ladders,
Warner & Nobles, new list	Clark's or Shepard's 1868, Old Pat-	Grass, No.2, \$2.00; No.3, \$2.10; No. 4, \$2.25	Davies Extension and Single,90255
Heavy Hammers and	clark's or Shepard's Tip Pattern,	Hooks and Eyes—Brass60&10&10%	1
Heavy Hammers and Sledges— 8 m and under #m40f 805 m	Clark's or Shepard's 1868, Old Pattern, Nos. 1, 3 and 5	Nolin's Green 70@70&10%	Ladles-
8 to 5 b	Empire, Nos. 101 and 103	Nolin's Grass. % dos \$2.25 Whiffletree—Patent	Melting, P., S. & W. .85&19@405 Melting, Reading. .85&105 Melting, Sargents' .60@60&105 Melting, Warners .805
A TIKITIROTI. R DILITIETO & COLUMN TO A LE IN	and 580&5%	Horse Nails—See Nails, Horse	Melting, Sargents' 60@60&10%
Handcuffs and Leg Irons —See Police Goods.	O. S. Lull & Porter, Nos. 3, 2½, 2, 1½,	Horse Shoes-	
Mandles-	Pioneer Nos 080 45 and 51/ 75%	Hose, Rubber	Lanterns—
Cross-Cut Saw Handles-	Steamboat Gravity Locking No. 10 80&10%	Competition. Fair quality75@75&10%	Tubular—
Cross-Cut Saw Handles— Atkins** 405 Champion 15% Ely's Perfection \$4 doz. \$3.00 Sensible \$4 doz. Pr \$5.00, 50@50&10\$	Cate Hinges— Automatic	Combounds. Low Grade, Min. & It., 544	Anti-Friction, with Guard \$4.00 Brass Plated, Sq. Lift, Guard \$5.00 Cop. Plated, Sq. Lift, Guard \$5.00 O. K. with Guard \$3.50 Regular, with Guard \$3.25 Side Lift, with Guard \$3.60 Square Lift. with Guard \$3.86
Bensible \$\pm \doz. \text{Pr} \doz. \$5.00, 50\\ 60\\ 50\\ 50\\ 60\\ 50\\ 60\\ 60\\	Clark's, Nos. 1 2, 860&10@60&10&5	50&10@60&10&10% Standard	O. K. with Guard\$3.50
Iron, Wrought or Cast-	N. E. Reversible. # dos \$7.80, 60@60&10% N. E. Reversible. # dos \$5.60, 60@60&10%	N. 1. B. & P. Co., Double Diamond	Regular, with Guard\$3.25 Side Lift, with Guard\$3.60
Iron, Wrought or Cast- Barn Door, % doz \$1.40	N. Y. State # doz \$4.90,60@60&105 Shepard's Nos. 1. 2. 360&10@60&10&5	N. Y. B. & P. Co., 1846 Para40&5%	Square Lift, with Guard\$3.85
	Western dos \$4.20, 60@60&10%	Fair Quality, of ft.	Bull's Eye Police-
Nos 0 1 2 3 4 Per doz\$0.90 1.00 1.08 1.85 1.50	A Spring times	Huskers—Blair's Adjustable	2%-inch flash light.
	Acmerican. 20% American. 20% Bardeley's Patent Checking. 16% Barker's Double Acting. 25% Bommer's Japanned. 35% Bommer's Japanned. 35% Bommer's All other Kinds. 30% Buckman's. 15620% Champion. 60%	Blair's Adjustable	2%-inch regular
Jap'd Store Door Handles—Nuts, \$1.62; Plate, \$1.10; no plate, \$0.8810% Roggin's Latches	Barker's Double Acting25% Bommer's Japanned	Hubbard's Solid Steel Wer 4.50	3-inch regular
Roggin's Latches₩ doz 28¢@30¢	Bommer's All other Kinds30%	\$ doz., net.	Lawn Mowers-
Wood— Auger, assorted# gr 5.00)	Champion	ndurated Fiber Ware— See Ware, Indurated Fiber.	See Mowers, Lawn.
Auger, large	Chicago. 30% H Columbia 9 gross, \$10.00 p	i trons.	Leaders, Cattle-
Brad Awl	Crown		Hotchkiss
Apple Firmer Chises, large gr 6.00	Freeport % gro., \$12.00 Geer's Spring and Blank Butts405	39 doz\$1.00	Humason, Beckley & Co.'s
Hickory Firmer Chises, large. # gr 5.00	Gem	Iron, & doz.:	Hotchkiss
Bocket Framing Chisel, ass'd. # gr 5.00 2	Ideal No. 3	No. 65	Lemon Squeezers-
WOOd— Auger, assorted \$\pi\$ 5.00 \\ Auger, large \$\pi\$ gr 5.00 \\ Auger, large \$\pi\$ gr 7.00 \\ File, assorted \$\pi\$ gr 2.75 \\ Firad Awi \$\pi\$ gr 2.76 \\ Apple Firmer Chisei, large \$\pi\$ gr 5.00 \\ Hickory Firmer Chisei, large \$\pi\$ gr 4.50 \\ Socket Firmer Chisei, large \$\pi\$ gr 3.00 \\ Socket Firmer Chisei, large \$\pi\$ gr 3.00 \\ Socket Firmer Chisei, large \$\pi\$ gr 3.00 \\ Socket Firmer Chisei, large \$\pi\$ gr 5.00	Columbia	Nicol's Patent Curling Iron Heater, \$\frac{3}{8}\dot{doz}.\$ \$1.00 Silver Tipped Grace Darling Curling Iron, \$\frac{3}{8}\dot{doz}.\$ \$1.75 No. 65 \$1.75 No. 67, Mustache 1.25 From 4 to 10, at factory \$\frac{3}{8}\dot{100} \text{ m}	See Squeezers, Lemon.
Hoe, Rake, Shovel, &c	New Idea No. 2 # gross, \$18.00		Lifters, Transom-
Pat. Auger, Ives'	New Idea Dbl. Acting.	\$2,25@\$2.35 B. B. Sad Irons, # D (at factory).256@2846 Chinese Laundry (N.E.Butt Co# D 546	Beardsley & Mouat, Sure Grip50@50&10\$ Excelsior
Saw and Plane40&10@50\$	Oxford20%	Chinese Laundry (N.E.Butt Co # 15 54¢ Chinese Sad	Excelsior
Hangers—	Reinable	Chinese Sad	Imperial 60% Solid Grip 70%
Barn Door, New England70@70&5%	Someon 600608710	Ideal Irons, No. 250, \$\pi\$ set, 65¢; No. 255.	Universal
Barry	Stearns' Noiseless Floor Hinge,	Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, per set	Brass, Real Bronze or Nickel Plate
Barry	Surprise % gross., \$12.00	Small lots 75 .70 .80 .76	Brass, Real Bronzed 30&105
Carrier Steel Anti-Friction50&10% Champion60&10%	Union Spring Hinge Co.'s list,	National Self-Heating	Shaw's
Champion	Wiles', No. 1, % gro., \$16; No. 2\$13	Pottstown, \$\pi\$ set, No. 45, 65\$\psi\$; No. 40, 70\$\phi\$ Salamander Irons	Class 3 and 4. Bronsed Iron
Climax Anti-Friction	Corrug't'd Strap and T 60&10&10\$	Self-Heating Tailors' # doz \$10.0020%	Class 3 and 4, Bronse Metal50&105 Skylight Lifters
Crescent	Strap and T.List May 22, 1894	Sensible Sad Irons, per set:	Lines-
Duplex (Wood Track)	Plate Hinges ; 8, 10 & 12 in., # b5# "Providence" over 12 in. # b4# Rolled Blind Hinges, Nos. 32 and 34	.60 .60 .65 .65	Chalk
Hamilton Wrought Steel Track55%	Rolled Blind Hinges, Nos. 82 and 84	Sensible Tailor's Irons33/4% Soldering—	Chalk
Interstate	Roiled Blind Hinges, Nos. 232 and 234	Soldering— Soldering Coppers # b 18@20# Covert's Adjustable, list Jan. 1, 1894,	Cotton that men risk
Lane's New Standard	801led Plate	S5.22 Tinker's Dread # doz \$1.75; # gro. \$18	2, \$1.75; No. 3, \$2.25; No. 4,\$2.75; No.
Lane's Standard50&5@50&10%	Koned Kaised	Pinking—	Mason's Linen, No. 31, \$1.50; No 4,
Duplex (Wood Track) 60&10&56 Economy, 86.00 .00&10 Hamilton Wrought Steel Track .50 Interstate .50&10 Kidder's .50 Lane's New Standard .00 Lane's Parlor .40 Lane's Standard .50 Lundy, Steel Parlor .40 Magic .45 Matchless .50 Mody .50	Screw Hook and Eye 35 m., # D 532	Pinking Irons, w dox., 55@60¢.	\$2.00; No 4½, \$2.60. Ossawan Mills:
Moody	Rolled Plate	Jack Screws—See Sorous.	Crown Solid Braided
Moody	Strap	Jacks, Wagon— Dalsy 893/6 Lockport 40@40&5% Victor 983/68	Giant Braided Chalk
moore's Railroad	Hoes— Eye— Scovil and Oval Pattern 50&10@60%	Victor	Soft Braided Chalk
Orleans Steel 40&10@50%		Kettles-	Masolf S No. Color S 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18
Paragon Nos. 5, 514, 7 and 820210%	Grub	Kettles— Brass, Spun, Plain, list Jan. 1, '9125&5% Brass, Spun, Pld.W.M.list Jan. 1, '91 20&5%	
Orleans Steel	Garden, Mortar, &c. 70@70&5&23 Magic & dos \$4.00 Planter's, Cotton, &c. 70@70&5&25 Warren Hoe. 50@60&25	Stamped Brass Kettles 8 b 19/204	Silver Lake, Braided No. 0, \$6.00; No. 1, \$6.50; No. 2, \$7.00; No. 8, \$7.50 %
Samson Steel Anti-Friction	Magic % dos \$4.00	Stamped Brass Kettles \$ \$ 19@20\$ Enameled and Tea—See Ware, Hollow.	ventilator Cord, Samson Braided.
Star	Warren Hoe	Knife Sharpeners— See Sharpeners, Knife.	ventilator Cord. Samson Braided, White or Drab Cotton. # dom \$7.50 295 Wire Clothes. Nos. 18 19 20 100 ft \$3.38 23.75 \$3.28
Stearns' Challenge	Hog Rings and Ringers-		100 ft \$3.95 \$2.75 \$2.95
Terry's Ideal50&10@50&10&5%	See Rings and Ringers—	Butcher, Shoe, &c. Ames' Bread Knives, & dox \$1.50, 15@20%	Links, Open-
Sterling 50&10@60% Terry's Ideal 50&10@50&10&5% Terry's Modern 50&10@60% Terry's Shield 50&10@60% Terry's Shield 50&10@60% Terry's Solid 50&10@60%	Hoisting Apparatus—	Amee' Bread Knives, & dox \$1.50, 15@205 Ame a' Bluther Knives	Terry's—per gro.: Nos 1 8 3 4 25@ \$6,00 8.00 12.00 16.00 40%
Terry's Rolld 508108005 Terry's World 1810 Strap 508108005 Victor, No. 1, \$15.00; No. 2, \$16.50; No. 3, \$18.00 50825 Warner's Pat. 208108215	Mollow-ware-	Jordan's AA A1 Butchers', listnet	\$6.00 8.00 12.00 16.00} 40%
Victor, No. 1, \$15.00; No. 2, \$16.50; No. 8, \$18.00	See Ware, Hollow. Holders— Bag— Sensible Bag and Twine	Moran's Shoe and Bread20@20&10% Nichols' Butcher Knives	Locks, &c
Warner's Pat	Bag— Sensible Bag and Twine50%	Wilson's Butcher Knives, List Dec 8,	Cabinet Locks50&10@60\$
Wild West	Sprengle's Pat # dos \$1860%	W. W. Wilson, Butcher, 6 in., \$2.00; 7	Cabinet Looks
Harness Snaps—See Snaps. Hatchets—	Angular	Hay and Straw—See Hay Knives.	Delts, Nos. 51 to 63
American Ale and 1001 Co.		Table and Pocket—Net Prices. Corn—	Champion Night Latches40s
Hunt's	Barber's, # dos \$15.0040@40&10% Ives, # dos \$20.0060&5@60&10% File and Tool—	Bradley's	Eagle and Corbin Trunk252.10%
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Mann's. 50% Underhill's. 50% C. Hammond & Son. Fayette R. Plumb.	Bals Pat	P. S. & W	Door Locks, Latches, &c
Fayette R. Plumb	Micholson File Holders	Witnerby) Adjustable Handle	Barnos Mfg. Co
Collins	Hooks-	Bradley's	Barnos Mfg. Co
Sullato Hammer Co	Cast Iron-	Wadsworth's	1890
Ghulte, Lohof & Co	Bird Cage, Reading 60&10&10@70% Bird Cage, Sargent's Lis. 60&10&10@70% Clothes Line, Sargent's List50@50&10%	L&I, I. Vaite2025	Deltz Flat Key
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Padlocks-
Wrought Iron Padlocks:
manory, wheeler co., list Jan. 1, 15
Norwich Lock Mig. Co., list June 5
Russell & Erwin Mfg. Co., list June 10, 1891 50&23 Sargent & Co., list January 1, 1894
William Wilcox Mfg. Co., list Janu- ary 1, 1894
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Champion Padlocks
A.E. Deltz. 40% Eagle
120 line 90&25% 109 line 65%
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Romer's Nos. 0 to 91
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Yale Lock Mfg. Co.'snet prices Sash, &c.—
Attwell Mfg. Co
Common Sense, Jap'd, Cop'd and Br'zed
Common Sense, Nickel Plated. # gr \$10.00 Corbin's Daisy, list Feb. 15, 188670%
Davis Bronze. Barnes Mfg. Co
No. 105, Wgr., \$10
Hugunin's New Sash Locks25&5&2% Hugunin's Sash Balances25&5&2%
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See Tools, Lumber.
Lustro— Sour-ounce bottles # dox, \$1.75; # gross
Machines.
Boring— Without Augers. Upright. Angular.
Augers. Upright. Angular. Boss, Carpenters' 3.60 Boss, Ship Bldrs'. 3.85 Douglas
Jennings' 5,50 6,75 50@50&5% Millers Falls 7,50 25%
Millers Falls 7.50 255 Phillip's Patent with Auger 7.00 7.50 6.75. 40&10&10\$ Snell's, Rice's Pat 5.50 6.75. 40&10&10\$
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dox \$15.0080%
\$6.50 each
\$12.50; 3, \$10.00; 4, \$8.2530% Crown Jewel, 6 in
Orown, 44 in., \$3.50; 6 in., \$4.00; 8 in., \$6.50 each. 35% Orown Hand Fluter, Nos. 1, \$15.00; 2, \$12.50; 3, \$10.00; 4, \$8.25 \$3.50 each, \$5% Orown Jewel, 6 in. \$3.50 each, \$5% Domestic Fluter. each, \$1.50 Eagle, \$4.5 inch Rolls, \$2.15. \$35% Eagle, 54.5 inch Rolls, \$2.35. \$35% Ean; \$4.5 inch Rolls, \$2.35. \$35% En; \$5% inch Rolls, \$3.50 each \$35%
Kn x, 6-inch Rolls\$3,60 each } 85% Hoisting—
Moore's Anti-Friction Differential Pul- ley Block20% Moore's Hand Hoist, with Lock Brake.20%
MOOFE'S KOPE Differential Pulley
Block 60% Maris & Beekley (Teal Patent) 80% See also Blocks.
Washing— Fair and Square
Wayne American # doz \$30,00
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Mallots— B. & L. Block Co., Hickory & L. V. 80&10@40%
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Mattocks—Regular list.
60&10@60&10&56 Measures—
Standard Fibreware, No. 1, peck \$ dosen, \$3.50; ½-peck, \$3.00
Meat Cutters— Cutters, Meat

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	Menders— Harness # doz., \$1.75 Hudson's Hose Menders, in set, # doz., \$6.00 Hudson's Hose Bands# gr., \$1.25	-
	THIR Cans. See Cans. Mer.	
:	Coffee— Box and Side, List, Jan. 1, 1888.60@60&10\$ Net prices are often made which are lower than above discount.	
•	lower than above discount. American, Enterprise Mfg. Co., list Jan. 17, 1893 National List Jan. 20%	
	American, Enterprise Mig. Co., 18t Jan. 17, 1893. 20% National List, Jan. 1, 1894. 30% Swift, Lane Bros. 80% Waddel's New Box Mills, Ideal Brand, New List. 60@60&10% Mincing K nives—	
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	See Gates, Molasses. Money Drawers— See Drawers, Money.	
	Highest 10 in. 12 in. 14 in. grade.\$4.00@5.25 \$4.50@6.00 \$5.00@6.75 Good \$3.00 \$3.25 \$3.50	
	Muzzies— Safety	
	Nails.— Cut and Wire. See Trade Report. Wire Nails, Papered. Association list, May 1, 9285&10@	
	Hungarian, Finishing, Upholsterers', &c. See Tacks.	
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	Nail Pullers—See Pullers, Nail. Nail Sets—See Sets, Nail.	
	Nippers, See Piers and Nippers Nut Crackers. Nut.	
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	Sprague, No. 1, 55¢; 2, 60¢; 8, 65¢;	
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	World's Best # gross, No. 1, \$12.00; No. 2, \$24.00; No. 8, \$36.0050&10%	
	Packing, Steam— Rubber— Standard, fair quality70&10@75\$	
	Extra	
	N. Y. B. & P. Co., Salamander	
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*	14 Quart 2,50@ 2,75 2,75@ 3,00 Galvanized Buckets—
*	Fire. Well. 10 Quart\$2.50@\$2.75
í	12 Quart 2.75@ 3.00 \$2.25@\$2.50 14 Quart 3.00@ 3.25 2.50@ 2.75
\$	Fire Pails, deep
	Galvanized Buckets—
	Buggy Pails. \$3.00 Chamber Pails, 14 qt. 6.00 St. 75 4.25 Pire Pails, No.2,14 qt. \$4.00 St. 75 Fire Pails, No.2,14 qt. \$4.00 St. 75 Fire Pails, No.2,14 qt. \$4.00 St. 75 Fire Pails \$1.00,214 qt. \$4.00 St. 75 Fire Pails \$1.00 St. 75 Fire Pa
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ا،	Roasting and Baking— Columbian, S. S. & Co.: Nos. 10, \$2; 20, \$2.25; 80, \$2.50 each
:	Paper and Cloth— Sand and Emery— List April 19, 188650&10@60\$ Sibley's Emery and Crocus Cloth80\$
	List April 19, 1886
	Parers-Apple-
	Advance # dos \$4.25 Baldwin # doz 4.75 Bonanza each 5.00 Daisy # dos 8.50
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	Monarch
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1	Reading 72
	Rocking Table 8 doz 5.50 Turn Table 9 doz 4.50
	Victor
	Little Star # 003 4.00 Monarch. # 005 13.50 New Lightning # 005 5.50 Oriole. # 005 5.00 Oriole. # 005 13.50 Oriole.
	White Mountain doz \$5.50
	Pencils, Soapstone—
	Pickers, Fruit— Prize Fruit Pickers50%
	Picks— Railroad or Adze Eye, 5 to 6, \$12.00; 6 to 7, \$13.00
	See Nails, Picture. Pinking Irons—
1	Pinking Irons— See Irons, Pinking. Pins—
1	Bow- Humason, Beckley & Co.'s 70@70&10\$, Peck, Stow & W. Co
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1	List April 13, 1893. 14 and under, Plain. 5716210210210255 14 and under Galv. 50210210210256
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	Boiler Tubes, list Oct. 24. 1892
1	Casing, list Nov. 16.1892. 521&10&10&10&5% Cold Drawn Seamless Steel Tubing50
1	Ingested Joints Coging list Nov. 16
-	1892 4774&10&10&56 Steel Boller Tubes 2774&10&10&55 Planes and Plane Irons— Wood Planes—
1	Molding
-	Bench, Second quality
1	Iron Planes Bailey's (Stanley R. & L. Co.)50&10 Plane Report Co.
	Chaplin's Iron Planes50&10@60&10&10%
1	Chaplin's Iron Planes50&10@50&10&55 Davis' Iron Planes50&10@50&10&55 Gage Tool Co.'s Seif-Setting
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	Pilers and Nippers— Button's Patent. 607 Carew's Pat. Wire Outters. 205 Cronk's 8 int, \$15.00; 10 in. 227 005 Cronk's Sutton Pattern. 602.1025 Cronk's Carter Pilers. 602.6025 Eureka Pilers and Nippers. 602.6025 Gas Pilers. Custar's Nickel Plated. 6025 Gas Pilers. Custar's Nickel Plated. 6025 Hail's Nippers, No. 2,6 in., \$13.50; No. 25 Hail's Pilers, No. 2,6 in., \$13.50; No. 25 Humason & Beckley Mfr. Cc. 502.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Parallel \$4 doz. \$12.00. 8025 Lindsay's Prailel \$4 doz. \$12.00. 8025 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Glant, No. 55, 5 in., \$4 doz. 20.002 Lindsay's Parallel \$4 doz. \$12.00. 8025 Lindsay's Glant State
8	Carew's Pat. Wire Cutters20% Cronk's 8 in., \$15.00; 10 in\$20, 60%
	Cronk's Carrier Pilers60@60&5% Eureka Pilers and Nippers 40%
5	Gas Pliers. 60% Gas Pliers, Custar's Nickel Plated60&5%
0	Hail's Nippers, No. 2, 5 in., \$18.50: No. 4.7 in., \$21.00 % dox
n	Humason & Beckley Mrg. Co. 50250&107. Lindsay's Giant. No. 55. 5 in. 38 doz.
5	\$10.50
	P., S. & W. Cast Steel50@50&5% P., S. & W. Tinners' Cutting Nippers,
X 0X	Russell's Parallel
	Plumbs and Levels
d H	Cook's
5	Davis Iron Levels
	Pocket Levels
0	Poachers, Egg
•	No. 1, \$6.00; No. 2, \$9.00
•	Regular List. 75&10@80%
¢ ×	Bishop's American
	Bishop's Steel Monarch doz \$5.00 Bishop's Ohio
5 0	Bolding
*	Columbian, Double Stale # doz \$5.00 Eagle, Double Stale # doz \$5.00
5	Eagle, Single Stale
	Police Goods— Daley's Improved Handouffs; 2 Hands,
\$	\$57.00: 3 hands, Polished, \$ doz \$72.00; Nickeled, \$84.00
	J. P. Lovell's Police Goods 25% Newhall Ship Chandlery Co. Hand-
•	Daley's Improved Handouffs; 2 Hands, Polished, # doz, \$48.00; Nickeled \$57.00: 3 hands, Polished, # doz \$72.00: Nickeled, \$84.00. 255, J. P. Loveli's Police Goods. 255, J. Wewhall Ship Chandlery Co. Handcuffs, \$15.00 # doz. 255, Tower's. 255, Polish—
5	Metal-
5	Gaston's Silver Compound
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000000	Wynn's White Silk, int. cans doz.\$1.57
	Stove— Black Eagle Benzine Paste, 5 and 10 b cans
000	cans Bottles \$ gro \$7.20.10\$ Black Flag. 5 and 10 b pails \$ b \$\$\$ Black Jack Water Paste, 5 and 10 b
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5	Bonnell's Paste Stove Polish, \$\forall \text{gro} \\$6.00 Boynton's Noon Day\text{\$\forall \text{gro}, \$13.00} Crown Posto
0555000	Crown Paste in 5 and 10 b pails, & b 12st Diamond O. K. Enamel & gro \$19.00
ŏ	Diamond Rock Nickel Cleaner
0	Dixon's Plumbago # b 86 Fireside # gro \$2.50
Ŏ	Gold Medal. # gro, \$4.50, 10% Gold Medal. # gro, \$6.00, 25%
	Jet Black. % gro \$3.50 Lustro. % gro, \$4.75
6	Black Jack Water Paste, 5 and 10 means. Cans. Black Jack Water Paste, 5 and 10 means. Bonnell's Liquid Stove Polish, # gro \$8.00 Bonnell's Paste Stove Polish, # gro \$8.00 Crown Paste. Crown Paste in 6 and 10 means. Diamond O. K. Enamel. Diamond Rock Nickel Cleaner Freside. Joseph Dixon's. Joseph Dixon's. Joseph Dixon's. Jerro, \$6.00, 10 gero, \$10, 10
	Raven Liquid, 8 oz. bottles.
•	Raven Paste in 5 lb. pails (cases of 6 pails), % n 10¢
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1	Bising Sun
	Sun Paste No. 10 # gr, \$7.20 Sun Paste No. 5 # gr, \$4.50
×	Wynn's Black Silk, 16 box, \$\forall \text{gro., \$12.00} \\ \text{Wynn's Black Silk, 5oz, box. }\forall \text{gro., \$0.00}
5	Wynn's Black Silk, 8oz.liq., \$\frac{1}{9} \text{gro.,\$12.00} Yates' Liquid, \$2 3 5 10 \text{gal}
	# gal\$0.70 .60 .60 .40 Yates Standard Paste Polish 10 b cans,
3	Poppers Corn-
***	Hound or square, 1 qt % doz \$1.00; % gr \$8.00
	Round or Square, 14t
X X	gers and Diggers—
5	See Diggers, Post Hole, &s. Potato Parers Potato. See Parers. Potato. Pots— Glue—
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8	Family, Howe's "Eureka"
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اع	In Canisters— Duck, 1 b each
30000	In Canisters— Duck, 1 b each
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•	Fruit and Jelly-
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### Pullors Nail— ### dos., \$24,00, 40% #### dos., \$5,50@\$6,00 ###################################	Rivet Sets—See Sets.	j Screws-	Pruning Shears and Hooks
Conomy 7 dos., \$5.50@\$6.00	Roasting and Baking	Bench and Hand-	Dission's Combined Penning Hoos
Glant, No. 1 # doz., \$18.00, 10&10\$	Pans-See Pans, Roasting and	Bench, Iron55&10@55&10&10% Bench, Wood, Beech	Disston's Pruning Hook, # dox. \$12.00
Pelican	Baking. Rods—	Bench, Wood, Hickory202104	Dunlap's Saw and Chisel. # doz \$8,50.304
Scranton \$ doz., \$18.00, 8814@3314&10%	Stair. Black Walnut 7 dos 404	Bench, Iron	Dunlap's Saw and Chisel, # doz \$8.50,80% Henry's Pruning Shears, # doz. \$4.00
Pulleys— Brass Screw 704	Stair, Brass25@80%	Coach, Lag and Hand-Rail-	Henry's Tree Pruner
Hay Fork, "Anti-Friction," 5 in. solid,	Rollers-	Lag, Blunt Point, list Jan. 1, 1890 80&10@80&25%	Levin Pruner No. 1, \$15.00 \ dos. 4083
Hay Fork, "F" Common and Patent	Acme Moore's Anti-Friction	Coach and Lag, Gimlet Point, list Jan. 1, 1890	J. Mallinson & Co., No. 1, \$5.25; No. 2, \$7.25
Hay Fork, Moore's Anti-Friction 5 in.	Moore's Barn Door Stay50% Union Barn Door Roller70≰	Hand Rail, Am. Screw Co80%	Fruning Snears, Henry's Pat. % doz.
Wheel, % dox., \$12.0040% Hay Fork, Reed's Self-Lubricating60%	Thompson Mfg. Co.'s Lawn Rollers 305	Hand Rail, Sargent's 70&10@70&10&10%	Pruning Shears, Conn. Pat\$2,50@\$3.00 P., S. & W. Co
Hay Fork, Solid Eye, \$4.00; Swivel,	Rope—The following prices are f.o. b., New York or factory, and are shaded 160% on large lots; terms 11/8 for	Millers Falls 500100104	Wheeler, M. & C. Co., Combination,
Hay Fork, Stearns' Nos. 35 & 45 50&10%	146016 on large lots; terms, 114% for cash.	Millers Falls, Roller50&10%	Tinners', &c.
Hay Fork, Tarbox Pat. Iron20%	Manila, 7-16 in. diam. and	Jack Screws 60&10&10% Millers Falls, Koller 50&104 P. S. & W 35% Sargent 70@70&10% Stearns' 40&10%	Shears and Snips (P. S. & W.)20035; Snips, J. Mallinson & Co
Japanned Clothes Line60&10&10%	Manila	Cork-	Sheaves-
Pulleys— Brass Screw 70% Hay Fork, "Anti-Friction," 5 in. solid, 35.70	Maniia, 7-16 in. diam. and larger	Detroit Cork Screw Co	Silding Door Corbin's list
Moore's Ceiling or End, Anti-Friction.40% Moore's Dumb Waiter, Anti-Friction.50%	Manila, Hay Rope, Med m # b 8 @ 844 Sisal.7-16 in. and larger. # b 6 @ 644	Williamson's	M. W. Co., list July 188850&10@60&54
Moore's Electric Light33	Sisal	Williamson's Forged Worm, Apple- wood Handle, # doz., \$5.00; Rose-	Patent Roller 604 104 94
Sash (Auger Mortise).	Sisal, Hay Rope 9 b 6 @ 6146	wood, 85.50 40%	Patent Roller, Hatfield's
Common Sense. 60% Empire. 60%		Machine— List August 1, 1894.	Russell's Anti-Friction, list Dec. 18, 1885
Aome. Ideal, Nos. 2, 4, 10 & 15 60% less 1# % doz net. Ideal, or IXL No. 60 % doz. 22# net. On bbl. lots extra 5%.	New Zealand. 7-16 in. and larger	Flat Head Iron	Clidina Chart
Star dog net.	New Zealand% inch. % b 5% 6 6 6 New Zealand. 4 & 5-16 in. % b 6% 6 6%	Wood— List January 1, 1891.	Reading list
On bbl. lots extra 5%.	New Zealand, Hay Rope. 9 b 514@ 514	List January 1, 1891. Flat Head Iron	Sargent's list70
Hade Rack	Cotton Repe 1 b 12 @ 15	Round Head Iron	Shells— Brass Shot Shells, Club, Rival, Climax,
Fackle Blocks—See Blocks.	Jute Rope # D 5% @ 6#	Round Head Brass	Tass Shot Shells 1st graller
Pumps— Jistern, Best Makers60&10&10≰	Wire— List February, 1892. All kinds50%	Round Head, Bronze	Prass Shot Shells, 1st quality
Pumps— Distern, Best Makers	Pulas-	Trokers Drive sorews9(363)	First quality Rival, Club and Olimax
lyers' Pumps, low list	Rules— Boxwood80&10&10@80&10&10&10%	Scroll Saws—See Saws, Scroll.	Drands, 14, 16 and 20 gauge (\$7.50
Punches— Verv's Revolving40%	Starrett's Steel Bules and Streight	Scythes- Grain	Prise
Avery's Revolving40\$ Avery's Sawset and Punch—See Sawsets Remis & Call Co.'s Cast Steel Drive. 50&54	Edges	Scythe Snaths—	Star, Club, Rival and Climax Brands.
Bemis & Call Co.'s Check	Sad Irons—See Irons, Sad.		The state of the s
Semis & Call Co.'s Springfield Socket. 65%	Sand and Emery Paper	Sets-	Trap brand, 12 and 10 gauge. 381/410429 Shells, Loaded—
Niagara nonow runches20&2% Niagara Solid Punches55%	and Cloth—	AWI AND TOOL— Alken's Sets, Awis and Tools,	Standard List, July 19, 1890
Nery's Sawsetand Punch—See Sawsets Semis & Call Co.'s Cast Steel Drive. 50&5; Semis & Call Co.'s Check	See Paper and Cloth.	See Snaths, Scythe. Sets— Awl and Tool— Alken's Sets, Awis and Tools, No. 20, \$\frac{2}{2}\$ dos \$\frac{2}{2}\$,0060@60&5\$. Common \$\frac{2}{2}\$ dos \$\frac{2}{2}\$,0060@60&5\$. Common \$\frac{2}{2}\$ dos \$\frac{2}{2}\$,00	40&10&10&10&10&10&10&10 2% cash, 10 days.
pring, good quality. # dos., \$2.50@\$2.60	Sash Cord—See Cord, Sash.	No. 42, \$10.50; No. 48, \$12.5070&10&5% Fray's Adı. Tool Hdig. Nos 1 \$10.0	Ship Tools— L. & I. J. White
olid Tinners', P., S. & W. Co., W dos.,	Sash Locks—See Locks, Sash.	3, \$12; 4, \$9; 5, \$7	Shoes, Horse Mule, &c.
Mnners' Hollow Punches, P., S. & W.	Sash Weights-	Millers Falls ACJ. Tool Hdls., No. 1, \$12;	Horse-
C020&2%	See Weights, Sash.	No. 4. \$12; No. 5. \$18	Burden's, Perkins', Phoenix, Standard, Diamond State, Bryden's Boss and Crescent \$2,50@24.00 Bryden's Frog Pressure, at factory.\$5.00
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libbs' Favorite Lawn Rake 3 doz., \$3.90 libbs' Hustler No. 0	Saws. 45045545 Wheeler, Madden & Clemson Mfg. Co. Cross Cuts, list Jan. 1, 1893. 452105 Hand, Panel and Rip. 3082107 Woodrough & McParlin.	Lioyd's Acme	Griffith's Solid C. S. R. R. Goods. 201
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Razor Strops-	Scroll— Revnes' Builders' and Cab Makers' 15 955	Sharpeners, Knife-	Terre Haute Shovel & Tool Co 989
See Strops, Razor.	Barnes' Builders' and Cab Makers' \$15,254 Barnes' Soroli Saw Blades	Sharpeners, Knife— Parkin's. Applewood Handles # dos. \$6.00, 50% Rosewood or Cocobola. # dos. \$6.00 50% Tante Mills # gr., \$1.40,.25@\$33%	Shove is and Tongs— Brass Head
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Fishing— endryx Aluminum, German Silver, Gold, Bronze, Silver Rubber, Populo and Salmon, Single Action, Multiply- ing and Quadruple, all sizes, endryx Single Action Series, 102P and PN, 202P and PN, 102PR and PRN, 202PR and PRN, 204P and PRN, 202PR and PN, 502 and 502N, 802 and 812N, 20284N, Competitor. 508 endryx Multiplying and Quadruple Series, 3004N and PN, 4N and PN, 2004N, 2904P and PN, 002904PN, 0924 and 0924N, 5000N and PN	See Frames, Saw.	Shaves, Spoke	Electric Light. # doz \$1.50: % gro 218 on
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ench-	Tanks O! — Emerald, S. S. & Co.; S0-gal. \$8.75; 60- gal, \$11 each	Barnes' Barrel Trucks 40
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s Carpet— Points# dos 75@80# ied# dos \$2.25	Tinware— Stamped, Japanned and Pleced, list Jan 20, 1887	Cotton Mops, 6,4,1,22,10 b to dos,1,10,24,17 Cotton Wrapping, 5 Balls to b134,24,12 2-Ply Hemp, 14 and 14 b Balls (Spring Twine)
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, Carpet and	Cant Hooks, mail. Socket Clasp, "Bite	Massey Quick Action 20@28
Brpet— ** dos \$26.00 ** dos \$18.00 os,\$22.00; Nickel, \$24.00 ** doz \$27.00 ** doz \$27.00 ** doz \$27.00 ** doz \$27.00	Cant Hooks, Common Finish. #402214.10 Cant Hooks, Mall. Socket Clasp, "Blue Line" Finish	Double Screw Legs
	Cant Hooks, Clip Clasp, "Blue Line"	Parker's
# dos \$36.00	Cant Hooks, Clip Clasp, Common Fin-	Prentiss. 20@25 Sargent's. 70&10@70&10&10 Simpson's Adjustable. 48 Stephens' 25@30 Trenton. 40&5@40&10
# doz \$27.00	Wand Snibas 20 dow 8 ft 615 00: 8 ft	Stephens'
	Pike Poles, Pike & Hook, W dox, 12 ft.,	Wilson's58
doz \$27.00 ctor, Jap \$\frac{1}{2}\$ doz \$24.00 ctor, Nickel. \$\frac{1}{2}\$ doz \$27.00 \$\frac{1}{2}\$ doz \$27.00	18 ft., \$17.50; 20 ft., \$21.50.	Saw Filers— Bonney's, Nos. 2 & 3.\$15.0040&10@50
# doz \$48.00	\$10.00; 14 ft., \$11.00; 16 ft., \$13.00; 18	Economy, W dos., Nos. 110, \$10.00; 120, \$15.00
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# dom \$22.00	\$12.00; 20 ft., \$16.00.	Stearns, Common, Nos. 0, 1, 2 & 350 Stearns, Rubber Jaw. Nos. 10 & 83.834
lom \$22.00; Nickel, \$24.00 т dom \$22.00	Mall, iron Socket Peavies dos \$19.00 Ring Peavies, "Blue Line" dos \$20.00	Wentworth20&10
	Steel Socket Peavies	Miscellaneous— Bauer's Pipe Vises
	Setting Poles, # dos, 13 ft., \$14.00; 14 ft., \$15.00; 16 ft., \$17.00.	Cowell Hand Vises 20
ght	Champion Steel Socket Peavies—	Cowell Hand Vises 20 Enterprise Pipe Viseseach \$3.00, 40 Massey Combination Pipe Vise 40
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	Maple Handles, 234 in x 41/2 to 6 ft. 23.50	U.M.C.&W.R.A.—P. E., 8 1.70 D
# dos \$24.00	Maple Hndls, 3 in.x416 to 6ft. 26.00 Champion Cant Hooks, with steel	Eley's B. E., 11 and larger\$1.70@\$1.' Eley's P. E., 12 to 20\$3.00@\$8.
₩ dos \$21.00	clasps—	Wagon Boxes-
Sweeper Co. make the	or 5 ft\$20 00	Wagon Jacks-
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10-doz. lots. .awn —	Clasps— Maple Handles, 2½ in. x 4, 4½ or 5 ft	Wagon Boxes— See Bozzes, Wagon. Wagon Jacks— See Jacks, Wagon. Ware, Hollow— Cast Iron, Hollow Blove Hollow-Ware— Ground
30%	Champion Cant Hooks, with malleable clasps—	Ground
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S. S	Mouse and Rat-	Steel Hollow Ware. Avery Spiders and Griddles 60,10&5@70
204 0	Dandy	Avery Kettles60&10&10@70&10 Standard Fiber—
4216	Hotchkiss Metallic Mouse, 5-hole traps, & doz., 75¢; in full cases, \$ \text{doz.} \text{doz.} 60\text{60} 65\text{\$ \text{doz.} \text{doz.}	Per Dos. Plain. Decorate
20% 35% umers' Tacks—	Hotchkiss Imp. Rat Killer# gro \$18.50 Hotchkiss New Rat Killer# gro \$16.50	Plain, Decorate Cuspidors\$7.50 Half-peck Measure\$3.00 Peck Measure\$3.00
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tent Brads35%	Mouse Wood, Choker, W doz holes, 9@10s Mouse, Round Wire doz 21 50 10s	Wash-Basins, 10 in 1.80 2.00 Wash-Basins, 12 in 2.00 2.50
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oints, B. S 12148	Rat, Sensible	Butter Bowls 15, 17 and 19-inch (8
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I	Ives', No. 1, \$15.00; No. 2, \$12.00 \$ dos. 55&10% Stearns'20&10%
1	Douglas'
I	Trowels— Brade's Brick
ı	Disaton's Br'k and Plastering 25@25&10% Lothrop's Brick and Plastering.
١	Trowols— Brade's Brick. 25@95&55 Clement & Maynard's 20@20&55 Disston's Br'k and Plastering 25@25&105 Lothrop's Brick and Plastering. Peace's Plastering. 25@25&55 Peace's Plastering. 25@25&55 Reed's Brick and Plastering.
١	Reed's Brick and Plastering
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l	Garden 70% Trucks, Warehouse, &c., B. & L. Block Co. % list. 40% Barnes' Barrel Trucks 40%
١	Barnes' Barrel Trucks
١	Daisy Stove Trucks, Improved pattern, & dos. \$18.00 Thompson Mig. Co
١	Tubes, Boller—
١	Fiax Twine—BC. B. No. 9, % and % 10 Balls
١	No. 12, 12 and 12 is Balls
I	No. 24, 34 and 34 in Balls
١	Cotton Mops, 6,9,12&15 b to dos.,15¢@17¢ Cotton Wrapping, 5 Balls to b. 13¢@14¢
l	TWING— Flax Twine— No. 9, Mand M Balls. 222 222 223 224 224 224 224 224 224 224
١	8-Ply Hemp, 114 b Balls
1	Mason Line, Linen, 1/2 B Balls 544 No. 264 Mattrass, 1/2 and 1/2 B Balls, 52,6544
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	Vises— Solid Box
	Backus and Union 404
١	Bonney's
ı	Fisher & Norris Double Screw15&103 Hollands'85@40\$
١	Soney 2
ļ	Moore's
١	Pertiss. 20@25% Sargent's. 70&10@70&10&10% Simpson's Adjustable. 40% Stephens. 25@30% Trenton. 40&5@40&10% Wilson's. 55%
١	Simpson's Adjustable 40% Stephens' 25@30%
١	Wilson's 55%
	Bonney's, Nos. 2 & 3.\$15.0040&10@50% Economy, & dos., Nos. 110, \$10.00; 120,
	\$15.00. 50&10&10&84 Hopkins' \$6 doz \$17.50, 105
	Stearns' Common, Nos. 0, 1, 2 & 3 50% Stearns' Rubber Jaw. Nos. 10 & 33,33445
	Trenton. 40&5@40&10% Wilson's. 555% Saw Filers— 555% Bonney's, Nos. 2 & 3, \$15.00. 40&10@50% Economy, w dos., Nos. \$10, \$10, 00; \$120, \$15.00. 50&10&10&56% Hopkins' \$\dot 0.50&10&517.50, \$10% Reading. \$\dot 0.50&517.50, \$10% Stearns' Common, Nos. 0, 1, 2 & 3 .50% Stearns' Rubber Jaw, Nos. 10 & 38,33345 Wentworth
	Bauer's Pipe Vises
	Enterprise Pipe Viseseach \$3.00, 40% Massey Combination Pipe Vise 40%
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	U.M.C.&W.R.A.—B. E., 9&10 826 U.M.C.&W.R.A.—B. E., 8 966
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	Eley's P. E., 12 to 20\$3.00@\$5.95
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	Per Don. Plain, Decorated
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	Bail Peck Measure
	Wash-Basins, 10% in 1.80 2.00 Wash-Basins, 12 in 2.00 2.50 See also Pails.
	Indurated Fiber.—
	Basins, Ringed, W dos., No. 21.60 Butter Bowls 15, 17 and 19-inch (8 pieces), W nest
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)	butter Bows 10, 17 and 12-110 pleces), \$\pi\$ nest 1, 2, 3 and 4 (2) pleces), \$\pi\$ nest 1, 2, 3 and 4 (2) pleces), \$\pi\$ nest 1, 2, 5 (3) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 55 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 32, 33 (4) pleces), \$\pi\$ set 1, 33, 33 (4) pleces, \$\p
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Silver Plated, Hollow— 4 mo. or 5 % cash in 80 days. Meriden Britannia Co	Washer Cutters— See Outters. Washers. Water Coolers— See Coolers, Water.	Galvanized Fence	Acme, Nickeled
meriden Britannia Co		60g706 % b Stubs' Steel Wire	Acme, Nickeled
Washers— Size hole	Wedges— Iton	Wire Picture Cord, see Cord. Bright Wire Goods—	Cylinder or Gas Pipe45855 Extra Heavy455
Whips American Whip Co.: Length. 41/6 X. L. Whalebone Drivin\$18.00 90	5 514 6 614 7 714 8 ft. 00 22.00 24.00 27.00 80.00 88.00 86.00	Standard list	Merrics's Pattern. No. 3 Pipe Bright Bit Wrench, AdJ., Tatum's. ♀ dos., \$2.2525&10\$ Boardman's
Buil Bone, Half-length Whale bone	11.00 12.00 13.00 15.00 55 50 9.50 10.50 12.00 18.50 15.00 16.50 50 6.50 7.00 7.50 9.00 55 5	Painted Screen Cloth # 100 ft \$1.45@\$1.60 Wire Barb— See Trade Report.	Diamond Steel
New Name, Stocked Java, Black and Wine Colors	6.00 5.00	Wire Rope—See Rope, Wire. Wrenches—	Walker's
Hand-made Stocked Java No.108 A large variety of cheaper grades. Team Whips Toy Whips Hardware Assortment, 10/American, 78 \	\$2.00@\$7.50 \$2.00@\$7.50 Whips for \$50.00,	American Adjustable 40@40&10% Baxter's Adjustable " 8" 40&10@55% Baxter's Diagonal 60@60&10% Coee' Genuine 50@50@21%	In lots of less than one dozen. Am. Wringer Co.'s list, July 2, '94 .2%' cash Colby Wringer Co., list May 1, '94 .2%' cash Lovell Mig. Co., list July 2, 1892 .2%' cash Feerless Mig. Co., list Feb., 1892 .2% cash National Wringer & Mig. Co., list
Wire and Wire Goods—Iron Barket, Br. & Ann., Nos.0 to 18. 75&10@75&1085% Cop'd. Nos.0 to 18.75&5% often given	Br. and Ann'd, Nos. 16 to 1880%) Nos. 19 to 2680&5% Nos. 27 to 3682½&5% Often given.	Girard Standard	Peerles Mfg. Co., list Feb., 1892 Scall National Wringer & Mfg. Co., list June 1, 1893
Galv., Nos. 0 to 18. 70856702105 Tin'd, Tin'd list, Nos. 0 to 18	Annealed Wire on Spools	Painted Screen Cloth 100 ft \$1.45@\$1.80 Wire Barb— See Trade Report. Wire Rope—See Rope, Wire. Wrenches— American Adjustable	Staples, Hooks, &c., list, March 17, 1898
Paints,	Oils and	Colors.—Whole	esale Prices.
Animal and Vegetable Olis— Linseed City, raw., per gal. 54 @ 55	Oylinder light, filtered	Lead, Red, bbls. and % bbls. 5% @ 5% Lead. Red, kegs. 5% @ 6 Litharge, kegs. 5% @ 6 Litharge, bbls. and % bbls. 5% @ 6 Cher, Rochelle. 1.85 @ 1% Cher, French Washed. 1% @ 3 Cher, American. 6% & 1% Grange Mineral, English. 7% 8 Orange Mineral, Erench. 10 @ 10 Crange Mineral, German. 7% 8 Orange Mineral, German. 7% 8 Red, Indian, English. 5 @ 15 Red, Indian, American. 2 @ 5 Red, Intkey. 9 @ 14	Zinc, Frech, Green Seal
Linseed, City, bolled	Paraffine, red	Ocher, French Washed	Zinc, V. M. in Poppy Oil, G. Seal, lots of 1 ton and over
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Cotton-seed, Summer Yellow, prime	Blue, Prussian	Red, Tuscan	discount allowed on less than bbi. lots.
low, off grades	Carmine, No. 40, in bulk 2.00 Carmine, No. 40, in boxes or barrels	Red, Venetian, English	Black, Drop, English
Whale, Natural Winter	Carmine, No. 40, in ounce bottles	Sienna American, Burntand Powdered 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Black, Ivory
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iron: Duty, 0 66 % b.
irond and square.....} % b 1.50¢@ 1.60¢ DUTY: Pig, Bar and Ingot and Old Copper, free. Manufactured (including all articles of which Copper is a component of chief value), 35 % ad valorem. .50 .51 .52 .53 Refined Iron:

1 to 4 in, x 34 to 1 in

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Rode 34 and 11-16 round and square, 7 in 1.7046 1.904

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Burden's Best 7 Iron, base price, 7 in

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2.804

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"Norway Bars. 3.50 @ 3.504

Norway Shapes. 4.00 @ 4.504 Ingot-* Special price not less than 80 cents. Discount from List 40 %. Sheet and Bolt-List March 22, 1894. Stubs' gauge standard. Net. Wire in Coils. List April 9, 1894. Weights per sq. foot and prices per pound. than Merchant Steel from Store—Per B than oz. Brown & Sharpe's gauge the standard. bron**se** and copper Over 64 All Nos. to No. 10, inclusive...
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Per D. No. 15.
No. 6. 496 No. 12.
No. 7. 496 No. 13.
No. 8. 506 No. 14.
No. 9. 526 No. 15.
No. 10. 546 No. 15. Copper Bottoms, Pits and Flats Tobin Bronze-Rods. Drawn Rods for Bolts, Forgings, &c. Copper Wash Bowl Bottoms— Tinned...... # b 34¢, 15 % @ 25 % Tinning-Spelter-each. 10¢ each. For tinning boiler sizes, 7 in. (sheets 14 in. x 52 in.), Zinc-METALS-Tin—

Tin—

Duty.—Pigs, Bars and Block, Free. Per n
Banca, Pigs. 196 1966
Straits, Pigs. 176 1766
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Standard always Stubs' gauge, unless otherwise Guaranteed Plates command special prices, according to quality.

Melyn and Calland Grade...IC, 10 x 14 \$6.35

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" " IX, 10 x 14 ... 12 ... 8.05

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Coke Plates—Bright—

Steel Coke,—IC, 10 x 14, 14 x 20 ... \$5.35 ordered. July 12, 1893. Net. Outside Diameter. Solder—
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Coke Plates—Bright—

Steel Coke,—IC, 10 x 14, 14 x 20. \$5.35

10 x 20. \$8.25

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10 x 20. \$0.50

IX, 10 x 14, 14 x 20. \$0.50

EV. Grade,—IC, 10 x 14, 14 x 20. \$0.50

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Charcoal Plates—Terne—
Guaranteed Plates command special prices, according to quality.

Dean Grade,—IC, 14 x 20. \$5.40

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